BACK THE BOYS WHO MADE POSSIBLE THE— VICTORY LOAN

DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

Partly cloudy and continued mild tonight and Friday; low tonight 32, high Friday 48, low Friday night 28.

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Marshall Testifies Army, Navy Knew Pearl Harbor's Big Danger Was From Air

Former Chief of Staff Is Witness in Investigation of Jap Attack

BULLETIN

Williamsport, Pa., Dec. 6—(AP)—The soldier—now a civilian—who detected and vainly warned of the approach of Japanese planes to Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, said today any attempt to fix blame for that disaster "has a strong odor of the election in 1948."

The statement was made by Joseph L. Lockard, who was on duty as an Army private at Pearl Harbor on the day of the attack, in an interview in which he termed "asinine" the house-senate congressional Pearl Harbor inquiry.

Lockard, 24, recently was discharged from the Army with the rank of first lieutenant. He is an insurance adjuster employed by a Williamsport firm.

Washington, Dec. 6—(AP)—Gen. George C. Marshall testified today that early in 1941 he decided "to rob practically all combat pursuit squadrons in the United States of most of their P-36 planes—for the defense of Hawaii."

Marshall, then chief of staff of the Army, also told a congressional committee investigating the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor four years ago that he knew of no commitment by President Roosevelt for the United States to go to war before it was attacked.

The matter of sending additional pursuit planes to Hawaii was brought up by committee counsel William D. Mitchell.

Mitchell recalled a War-Navy department agreement in early 1941 that attack from the air was Pearl Harbor's No. 1 danger.

As a result of that, Marshall said, he sought "to see what radical measures might be taken to meet to a degree" the needs of the Pacific outpost.

"I made the decision", he said, "to rob practically all combat pursuit squadrons in the United States of most of their P-36 planes".

The general explained that there were certain engine defects in the then new P-40 (Warhawk) fighter planes.

50 Planes in Hawaii

Thirty-one P-36's were rounded up, he recalled, leaving most fighter squadrons in the United States with three P-36's each. Marshall said the 31, with the pursuit planes already in Hawaii, brought the total there to 50.

Mitchell questioned Marshall at length about the pre-war allied conferences, apparently in an effort to clear up contentions that the United States was committed to war before the Japanese struck Hawaii.

A report of some of the conferences was inserted in the record and Mitchell asked:

"Did you ever know of any commitment by the president or anyone else by which the United States was committed to engage in war without being attacked".

"No sir, I did not", Marshall replied.

"Did these conferences contain any commitment for the United States to go to war?"

Dealt With Possibilities

"No sir", Marshall answered emphatically. "I didn't interpret them as such. They were intended to deal only with possible eventualities.

Mitchell asked whether Marshall knew of any commitment made at the historic Roosevelt-Churchill conference in August, 1941, when the Atlantic Charter was proclaimed from the cruiser Augusta at Sea.

"I was not involved in the political discussions", was the General's terse reply.

Marshall said he was occupied in military talks with the late Sir

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Mother, Son, Neighbor Held in Slaying



—NEA Telephoto

Ben French, Mrs. Edna Westerman and Gene Westerman, 15, who were held at Vienna, Mo., following the slaying of the boy's father. Authorities reveal that the mother and son have signed statements admitting that Gene shot his father while Mrs. Westerman looked on. The faher is reported to have charged that French, a neighbor, had been staying at the Westerman house while he was at work.

Date for Invasion of Poland Decided Five Months Ahead

Fixed While Der Fuehrer Was Telling World He Was Non-Aggressive

Nuernberg, Dec. 6—(AP)—Britain's pledge to aid Poland in the event of hostilities delayed start of World War II seven days as Hitler unsuccessfully tried to keep the British neutral, according to a statement by Herman Goering filed at the war crimes trial today.

Allied prosecutors filed the statement with the international military tribunal. Goering, one of the 20 nazi leaders on trial said Hitler originally had planned to invade Poland Aug. 25, 1939, but held up his attack until Sept. 1 while his diplomats sparred to try to "eliminate British intervention".

The Goering statement said Britain's signing of the Polish assistance pact on Aug. 25 made Hitler pause. The fat Reichsmarshal added that he had been in secret contact with Lord Halifax, then British Foreign Minister, "to do everything to stop war with England."

Describing Hitler's last-minute efforts to keep Britain out of the war, Col. Merwyn Griffith-Jones, assistant British prosecutor, described the diplomatic maneuvering as "a bogus offer of negotiation intended simply to bribe or otherwise keep England from assisting Poland".

After seven days of behind-the-scenes activity, the records introduced as evidence revealed, Hitler unleashed his war machine and invaded Poland on Sept. 1. On Sept. 3, Britain and France declared war in support of Poland.

Earlier in the statement Goering said he was "in connection with Lord Halifax by special courier outside regular diplomatic channels to do everything to stop war with England".

"Is it not a fact that preparations for the campaign against Poland were originally supposed to have been completed by the end of August, 1939?" Col. John A. Amen, of New York, an Assistant U. S. Prosecutor, asked, according to the transcript of the interrogation. Goering answered "Yes."

Hitler Advanced Date

Hitler's decision to strike in the fall of 1939 was made five months earlier when he ordered the army to be ready to strike by Sept. 1, 1939. (The Goering statement in-

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Undersecretary of State Accused of "Destroying" and "Defeating" American Policy in Iran (Persia)

Hurley Makes Charge in Stormy Session of Senate Committee

Washington, Dec. 6—(AP)—Maj. Gen. Patrick J. Hurley shouted in a stormy session of the senate foreign relations committee today that Dean Acheson had "destroyed" and "defeated" American policy in Iran.

Acheson now is undersecretary of state, No. 1 man under Secretary Byrnes. He formerly was an assistant secretary.

Hurley, who resigned last week as ambassador to China did not explain immediately the basis for his contention that Acheson had defeated American policies in the Near Eastern country.

He and Chairman Connally (D-Tex) shouted back and forth at each other before the testimony went into the record.

Senator Bridges (R-NH) demanded answers to three questions arising out of the senate foreign relations committee hearing.

Bridges said the debonair diplomat's opening testimony yesterday convinced him that Hurley had been "sabotaged" by his subordinates at Chungking and in Washington. The New Englander added that while President Truman and Secretary of State Byrnes apparently had backed Hurley up privately, they had failed to do so publicly.

Bridges Wants Answers

Bridges said he wants the answers to these questions:

1. "Why did the subordinates try to undermine his work?

2. "Why are they still holding responsible posts in the diplomatic service?

3. "Why did the president and the state department refuse publicly to support General Hurley?"

"Those should be the next steps", Bridges told a reporter.

"We need to let a little air into the dark recesses of the state department".

Hurley was summoned back for further testimony today. Before the hearing ends, Byrnes is expected to give the committee the state department's side in the

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Honored



Charles E. Miller, vice president and secretary of Boynton Richards Co. and general manager of the Dixon store, was presented a beautiful gold watch last evening by his employer and employes, commemorating the completion of a half century in business in the one location on First street. The presentation was made in his room at the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital, where he was taken one week ago for observation and treatment. He is reported to be considerably improved.

The recipient of the handsome remembrance came to Dixon from Mt. Carroll at the age of 16 years and entered the employ of the late Henry Lebowich at the present site of the Boynton-Richards store. He continued in the service of his first employer for 16 years when the present firm purchased the business 34 years ago, and then continued in their employ. About 25 years ago he became a member of the firm.

While being a successful merchant, Charlie, as he is known to his wide circle of friends and associates, has been very active in Dixon's civic life. He has been a member of the city council, the [illegible] Chamber of Commerce, president of the Dixon Loan & Building Association and for many years very active in the Dixon lodge of Elks as well as being interested in numerous other projects which have extended over the 50 year period of his residence in Dixon.

United States Loan of $4,400,000,000 to Britain is Reported

Official Announcement of Transaction Expected This Evening

London, Dec. 6—(AP)—A United States loan of $4,400,000,000 to Britain, subject to approval by congress and parliament, was announced today in the British press and was hailed as a boon to world trade.

Official announcement of the agreement, following 12 weeks of negotiations between the two countries in Washington, was expected to be made tonight simultaneously in the two capitals.

The London press said the agreement called for repayment over a 50-year period starting from 1946, and declared no interest would be payable for the first five years. Thereafter, the accounts said, the rate of interest would be 2 per cent—about $88,000,000 the first interest-paying year.

None of the London newspapers commented editorially, but the tenor of the prominent headlines given the accounts indicated enthusiastic approval of the agreement both by the Conservative and Labor press.

The [illegible] Conservative Daily Sketch termed the loan a "magna carta for world trade," and said it would "ease Britain's winter." The Laborite Daily Herald said failure of the negotiations would have meant "further tightening of belts, general imposition of restrictions to avoid a call for dollars, and a period of intensive trade rivalry."

On One Condition

London newspapers said the agreement provided that of the total amount of the loan, $650,000,000 would be used in payment for goods in process of delivery to Britain when lend-lease was ended. The papers, quoting their Washington correspondents, said the loan itself—$3,750,000,00—and the $650,000,000 lend-lease aid settlement would be repaid on precisely the same terms.

The dispatch to the Daily Herald said acceptance by the British of the Bretton Woods monetary plan was a condition of the loan, and that "the United States congress will be kept in session to

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In Arrears

Washingon, Dec. 6—(AP)—Aside from any new loans, Britain still owes about $6,400,000,000 to the United States on its World War I debt.

The figure was supplied by the treasury today in reply to a reporter's question.

The original loans, made both before and after the 1918 armistice, totalled only $4,277,000,000. Accumulative interest has brought the debt to $6,400,000,000 despite the fact that Britain paid more than $2,000,000,000 before ceasing payments in 1933.

In fact, interest is still accumulating and the debt rises every year.

Says Capt. McVay Ordered Stricken Vessel Abandoned

Washington, Dec. 5—(AP)—The Navy general court martial heard testimony that Capt. Charles B. McVay, 3rd, shouted verbal orders to abandon ship approximately 10 minutes after the cruiser Indianapolis was shaken by the first of the two explosions which sank her.

Edward H. Keyes, coxswain, who was standing watch as boatswain's mate of the watch when the heavy cruiser was hit, told the court that he attempted to pass orders over the ship's loud speaker system but found it out of order and unworkable.

This testimony had a direct bearing on the charge that McVay was inefficient in failing to issue "timely" orders to abandon ship before the Indianapolis sank last July 30 while enroute from Guam to Leyte.

The other charge on which McVay is being tried is that he failed to set a sigzag course in waters where enemy submarine contacts had been plotted.

Ordered to Pass Word

Keyes, who comes from Antigo, Wis., said that when the loud speaker system failed, the officer of the deck then ordered him to go below and pass the word throughout the ship to all hands to go topside.

Lt. Comdr. John Reid, New London, N. H., the cruiser's supply officer, told the court he was asleep in his quarters when the ship was attacked shortly after midnight.

He said he proceeded to the fantail where he stayed until pulled into the water.

At no time, he said, did he hear orders to abandon ship or any other orders, but agreed that it was entirely possible that such word was passed and did not reach him. He emphasized that it would have been extremely difficult for any word to reach his position without communication.

New I. N. U. Electric Generator is Tested

The first load test of the Illinois Northern Utilities Company's new 50,000 Kw. electric generating unit at Dixon was completed this morning after a 12-hour run, C. J. McLean, Assistant to the Vice-President, reported. The big electric generator and steam turbine performed without an apparent flaw, but the unit will be shut down and thoroughly inspected to determine the results of the test. The inspection will probably take a week and, if no faults are found, the unit will be started up again for the regular generation of power to the company's system which extends over 17 counties of northern Illinois. Although the installation of the generating unit has been completed, many features of the construction of the power station itself remain to be done, Mr. McLean said.

Prince Koyone One of Nine Nipponese Ordered in Custody

Gen. MacArthur Demands Their Arrest as War Crimes Suspects

Tokyo, Dec. 6—(AP)—Two powerful political figures whom many of the Japanese themselves consider among their top war criminals—Prince Fumimaro Konoye and Marquis Koichi Kido—were ordered arrested as war crimes suspects by General MacArthur today.

Seven other men whose activities date back to the imperialistic preludes of the Pacific war also were listed as wanted.

Konoye, the dashing prince who served as one of Japan's most prized "front men," had been premier three times. Kido, a small, shrewd wirepuller, served as Emperor Hirohito's right hand man throughout the war.

Jittery Tokyo received another shock before it had recovered

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Says War Can Now Destroy Not Only City But Country

Los Angeles, Dec. 6—(AP)—Only one-tenth ounce of uranium was employed to generate the first explosion of the atomic bomb, according to a California Institute of Technology physicist.

Conway W. Snyder, who worked nine months at the Los Alamos, N. M., laboratory, told a group of lawyers yesterday that while the initial bombs carried between six and seven pounds of uranium, only a tenth of an ounce was detonated.

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Washington, Dec. 6—(AP)—A scientist described today how fantastic effects of rays given off by atomic bombs killed Japanese weeks after the blasts which flattened Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Dr. Philip Morrison, who helped assemble those bombs, said the rays strangely affected the blood and made the victims prey to fatal infection.

In a statement prepared for the special senate atomic energy committee he told of the gruesome findings of a party which inspected the devastated cities after the Japanese surrendered.

He said most persons within a mile of the bombs died quickly—

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Optimism Prevails as GM-UAW Talk Opens in Detroit

Detroit, Dec. 6—(AP)—Hopes for settlement of the General Motors strike were raised today as the corporation and the CIO United Auto Workers headed toward their first wage negotiations in the 16 days of the walkout.

Neither side in the wage fight which has idled 213,000 workers offered a formal statement, but definite signs of optimism were appearing for the first time. One report said there might be peace within ten days.

Today's bargaining session, called for 1 p. m. (CST), was arranged at yesterday's meeting of union and General Motors officials at Pittsburgh, attended by CIO President Philip Murray.

A citizens committee invited by the UAW-CIO to study the dispute said in its report today that the "full possibilities" of collective bargaining had not been exhausted.

ANTI-STRIKE LEGISLATION

Washington, Dec. 6—(AP)—Strike-prevention legislation that has caused a deep rift between the Truman administration and organized labor began its precarious journey through congress today.

Introduced formally in the house under the name of Chairman Norton (D-N. J.), it was sped to the labor committee, which called a meeting for tomorrow to decide what to do about it.

Acting Chairman Ramspeck (D-Ga.) said he expected the committee to order brief public hearings next week and to approve the bill in substantially its present form. His goal, Ramspeck told reporters, is to have the bill enacted before Christmas in compliance with Truman's request in a special message to congress last Monday.

The measure would give the president authority to set up fact-finding commissions to study the issues involved in labor controversies when the [illegible]

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Huge Waterfront Fire Hits Coast Ship Yard

Long Beach, Calif., Dec. 6—(AP)—Fire continued today beneath the Consolidated Steel company's outfitting dock here after causing damage estimated at upwards of $1,000,000.

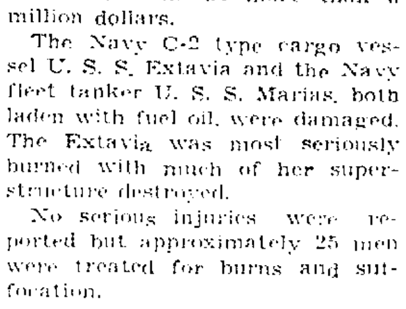
More than 1,000 firemen fought the blaze, which broke out late last night, swept the outfitting dock and damaged two navy vessels.

E. J. Amar, Long Beach port manager, estimated damage to the dock alone at more than a million dollars.

The Navy C-2 type cargo vessel U. S. S. Extavia and the Navy fleet tanker U. S. S. Marias, both laden with fuel oil, were damaged. The Extavia was most seriously burned with much of her superstructure destroyed.

No serious injuries were reported but approximately 25 men were treated for burns and suffocation.

16 SHOPPING DAYS Left



Buy CHRISTMAS SEALS

Lee Co. Record in Drive Is at Stake

A final appeal to residents of Lee county to subscribe to the Victory Loan drive was issued today by county chairman Oliver L. Gehant of West Brooklyn. Commenting upon the failure of the county to attain its quota, Chairman Gehant said:

"After Dec. 8th we must content ourselves with whatever record has been made and the result is therefore in the hand of each and every one of us. We will either make or break an excellent record in war financing by the response made to this appeal during the few remaining days.

"We know there are folks who have intended to buy Victory bonds but have put off buying from day to day for no particular reason. We urge upon these people to delay no longer. It is either now or never as far as the Victory loan record is concerned. The people of Lee county have done so well in seven consecutive war loans that it hardly seems possible we can fail to make our quota in this last drive. And until the report is tabulated and it is definitely shown that we have not made the quota will we believe that we actually failed.

"It is therefore our earnest plea that each and every one who possibly can do so buy an extra bond now and contribute his part to keep creditable an exceptionally fine record in Lee county."

Ward Leads Bowlers to Tournament Finals

Chicago, Dec. 6—(AP)—Sixteen of the nation's crack bowlers, including 11 who survived stiff competition from 128 other top keglers during the last five days, today begin shooting in the finals in the fifth annual All Star tournament.

Five of the finalists, including Buddy Bomar of Chicago, national match game bowling champion, and Ned Day, a former titleholder from West Allis, Wis., were seeded automatically into the finals. The other 11 gained qualifying posts in a 36-game total pin battle which ended early today.

Walter Ward, veteran Cleveland trundler, paced the field of 139 in the games preceding the match play by posting an aggregate of 7,444.

The qualifying scores included:
Nelson Burton, St. Louis 7,321
George Morrison, Chicago 7,269
Frank Benkovic, Milwaukee 7,251.
Connie Schwoegler, Madison, Wis., 7,228.

Extensive Search on For Missing Planes

Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Dec. 6—(AP)—Five Navy torpedo bombers from the Naval Air Station here are reported missing and the most extensive search ever undertaken along the Atlantic seaboard is underway, the Coast Guard reported today.

The planes were due back at their station at 5 p. m. (E. S. T.) yesterday after a routine flight. They normally carry a pilot and a radio-gunner.

More than a hundred airplanes and 20 some surface craft scoured the Atlantic ocean from Mayport, Fla., to far south of Miami throughout the night and were still on the hunt today.

Goodfellows Get Discouraging Aid

The Dixon Goodfellow organization was faced with a discouraging outlook today in carrying out their program to provide a happy Christmas for the deserving children throughout the city. With the donations of toys to be reclaimed and reconditioned by members of the fire department extremely small, the cash contributions to date were at an all-time low level.

The Goodfellows are appealing to the Dixon citizens to lend their support to the program by contributing liberally so that several Dixon children may enjoy a happy Christmas holiday, and the names of deserving children under the age of 12 years may be filed at the Telegraph office. The list of cash donations received to date totalled but $21 and was credited to the following:

St. Agnes Guild	$ 5.00
Carrie Rosenthal	10.00
Grace Garton	1.00
Mrs. Elmer Reynolds, in memory of Paul Reynolds	5.00

Tomorrow

Chicago, Dec. 6—(AP)—A "Blueprint for the chicken-of-tomorrow" posed a challenging engineering project today for America's poultry raisers.

Drawn up by poultry scientists comprising the National "Chicken-of-Tomorrow" Committee, the plan gave all chicken breeders who want to compete three years to produce a new bird—meatier in the legs, broader across the breast.

As an ultimate goal, the committee proposed at least 10 per cent more edible meat to the average bird.

To the breeder who produces such a bird within the allotted time, the Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company will offer a $5,000 cash award. There are consolation prizes, too, for regional winners.

The committee which drew up the poultry pattern at a two-day meeting here included O. A. Hanke, Mount Morris, Ill., and Harry Atkins, Davenport, Ia.

The Weather

THURSDAY, DEC. 6, 1945

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TEMPERATURES

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"I Shot Pa Down Like a Hog," Says 15-Year-Old Boy in Triangle Crime

Vienna, Mo., Dec. 6—(AP)—Prosecuting Attorney Hamp Rothwell said last night that Ben French, 1[illegible]-year-old Ozarks farmer has signed a statement that he tried without success to hire four men at various times to murder Henry Westerman, a neighbor.

First degree murder charges have been filed against French and against Westerman's wife Edna and son Gene in connection with the shooting of Westerman Monday.

Rothwell said that 15-year-old Gene, a high school freshman, had signed a written confession earlier that he shot his father after talking it over with his mother and that he had been [illegible]

The prosecutor said that Gene told him:

"I just shot pa down like I would a hog."

In his confession, French said "there is no one to blame but me for the killing of Henry Westerman. I did not kill him but I was the cause of it. I was afraid that Henry would kill his wife Edna. I think more of her than I do of myself. I will die knowing that Henry will not beat up on her any more".

Neighbors have reported that French had been "keeping company with the 31-year-old Mrs. Westerman while her husband was working in a Kansas war plant.

Mrs. Westerman, being held in the county jail, appeared calm saying she guessed the other four children were "at home with ma. Ben's [illegible] I'm going to marry him when this all blows over."

"Memory Expert" Has To Wire for His Hat

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 6—(AP)—Dr. Franz J. Polgar, memory expert from New York City, arrived in Springfield for a speaking engagement and discovered he had been overcharged on his train ticket.

He secured a refund by describing perfectly from memory the agent who sold him the ticket. A wire to the agent brought prompt action.

Dr. Polgar had to send another wire. The memory expert had forgotten his hat when he left the train.

"Illusionary Warfare" Kept German High Command Guessing, Army Says

Akron, O.—(AP)—One of the closest guarded secrets of the war—the part rubber companies played in the United States' "illusionary warfare"—has been unveiled by the war department.

Now can be told the giant deception that caused the Germans [illegible] to see fleets of invasion craft that didn't exist, loaded with weapons that never were forged and pointed for attacks that never were planned.

PT boats complete with armament, and landing craft and barges carrying tanks, field artillery and other combat equipment appeared and disappeared overnight and in great numbers along the English Channel coast in the hectic days preceding June 6, 1944, much to the confusion of German observers and the high command.

The huge ruse was made possible by production, with great speed and under highest priorities, of pneumatic, balloon-fabric models of the craft and equipment required for this vast decoy operation.

Built to size, and with a close resemblance to the real thing that made them, when inflated, utterly deceiving to German reconnaissance pilots, these "ships" and their cargoes were allowed to be seen in the waters of British ports from which allied supreme headquarters has no intention of launching an attack.

Mrs. Eisenhower on Way to Join Spouse

Chicago, Dec. 6—(AP)—Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower arrived in Chicago today, en route to Washington from Boone, Ia., where she had been ill with bronchial pneumonia since Nov. 17.

The wife of the Army's Chief of Staff changed from a Chicago & Northwestern train to the Pennsylvania railroad's Manhattan Limited due to arrive in Washington tomorrow at 6:30 a. m. Central Standard Time.

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Housing Problem Growing; Senate Studies New Bill

Shortages of Material, Labor Expected to Increase Snarl

Washington, Dec 6—(AP)—The housing shortage already the most critical in the country's history will be worse next year

The return of millions of veterans combined with an estimated 1,500,000 marriages and 2,750,000 births in 1946 means a much greater increase in the demand than in housing units. It is estimated that no more than 475,000 homes will be built next year under the most favorable conditions

There was a pronounced scarcity of housing before the war due to a deficiency in home building in the depression years. On top of that the war brought restrictions, a record-breaking population increase of more than eight millions since 1940 and the migration of millions of workers and their families from farms and small towns to the cities

Housing experts figure construction can't get rolling until 1947 and that substantial relief from the shortage will not come before 1948. Reconversion Director John W. Snyder says the demand for houses during the next year may be four or five times as great as any possible supply. Any large expansion of the building program is going to take time

Contractors Scarce

Besides shortages of materials and labor the number of construction and supply concerns is far short of need. Snyder says the number of contractors engaged in direct construction and in maintenance work has fallen from 500,000 in March 1940 to about 140,000 now. Another complication is labor-management trouble in some materials industries.

Under the best circumstances Washington sees no quick, one-way solution. Government agencies plan to help grease the ways for a vast long-range building program by private industry but officials declare that its success is primarily the responsibility of local communities

"We must depend for the most part on the initiative of American business men to decide to enter the building field arrange credit organize the businesses hire staffs and obtain supplies" said Snyder

John D Blandford Jr administrator of the National Housing agency estimates that some 12,600,000 new housing units will be needed over the next 10 years. He divides these roughly into 3,600,000 units at monthly charges of less than $20 some 4,800,000 units at monthly charges between $20 and $40 and 4,200,000 units at monthly charges above $40

New Bill in Senate

A revised general housing bill has been introduced in the Senate by Democratic Senators Wagner of New York and Ellender of Louisiana and Republican Senator Taft of Ohio. A special feature of their "non-partisan" bill is designed to enable private builders to do more building for the so called "middle-income market"—families that can pay between $20 and $40 a month

The bill has two major plans to aid middle-income families

One is limited to houses where the principal loan is not more than $5,000 which Senator Wagner says means about a $5,300 house. It raises the amount of mortgage eligible for FHA insurance from 80 or 90 per cent of the cost of the house to 95 per cent. This reduces the down payment of the middle-income family to 5 per cent

It extends the paying off (amortization) period from 20 or 25 years to 32 years and reduces the maximum interest allowable from 5 per cent to 4 per cent. This plan also includes government insurance of the money invested for construction up to 85 per cent of the cost of the house. This is to enable builders to undertake construction in volume before finding owner-occupants and thus achieve savings and better planning

The other plan aimed at aiding middle-income families provides for FHA insurance of private financing for mutual home ownership or for rental housing. The insured mortgage may be as high as 95 per cent in the case of mutual or public organizations and 90 per cent in other cases. The "paying off" period is extended to 40 years and the maximum interest rate is fixed at $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent

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Anyone who has ever had Pin-Worms knows how tormenting and embarrassing this infection can be, and how hard it may be to deal with the creatures, once they get a foothold inside the body

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Canton Woman Is Held on Federal Charge of Fraud

Peoria Ill Dec 6 (AP) Arrested Tuesday on a suppressed federal indictment charging use of the mails to defraud Mrs. Edna Woodcock, who lives on a farm near Canton, was free today under $2,500 bond

Mrs Woodcock identified by Fulton County Prosecutor Lachlan Crissey as a member of the "Henry Ford Swindle Ring" had been indicted in May 1943 by a Fulton county grand jury on charges of operating a confidence game. At that time she also had been released on bond

Crissey said Mrs Woodcock and other alleged members of the ring posed as agents of the Henry Ford Foundation and the Ford Motor company selling worthless stock in "Henry Ford Investments"

Purchasers of the stock were told Crissey said that Ford was distributing 15 per cent of his income to avoid tax payments and that a return up to $10 on $1 could be expected on the "investments"

Second Person Sought

The federal indictment against Mrs Woodcock returned in June 1944 named a second person whose name Assistant U S Attorney Preston Kimball said would be revealed when "he" is taken into custody

Mrs Catherine "Cassie" Bowcott 61 arrested near St Louis Sunday on the confidence game charge was returned to Fulton county and held in the county jail at Lewistown. Her bond was set at $15,000.

Members of the ring Crissey declared operated throughout central Illinois. He said that in some instances they told victims that a Ford plant was to be built at Canton and investors would be hired there. As much as $600,000 was obtained by the ring, the prosecutor estimated

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Cuba has a larger foreign trade per capita than any other Latin American country except Argentina

People's Column

COORDINATING COUNCIL

Since the last meeting of the present year has now been held it is proper that some report of the Dixon Cooperating Council be given. I shall try in the following memorandum to set forth some of the thinking of the Council

It has been presented and approved at the Council that we actively support the Boy and Girl Scouts in the developing of the Truman school on West Third street as a meeting place for them program. This support can be manifested in several ways, by getting various organizations represented in the Council to look up possible leaders and helpers reporting them to the Scout agencies by giving additional help to the Scouting financial drive recently completed by offering possible equipment and facilities that would be used in their program and by giving help at the building itself in the way of cleaning and maintenance. The school board has provided the building but heat and other utilities will be needed

At the Council meeting this evening the high school student body had several in attendance and they presented their plan and hope of having a New Year's Eve party at the high school. Complete discussion was had on this event and the Coordinating Council voted to back and underwrite the party with the high school P T A as the principal sponsors. The students are to organize a planning group for the party and they will meet with a committee of the P T A and the Coordinating Council to perfect a party program that will appeal to every student thereby assuring the fullest possible participation. Here again the various member organizations of the Council are urged to lend every support to this effort

The students also told of their plan to develop some sort of organization for recreational activities and the council advised them they would assist in whatever way possible. It was pointed out that the Truman school would not be fully used by the Scout program and the council is on record to explore the possibilities of using this medium as a Youth Center if desired by the students

There is to be a meeting at the Faust Hotel in Rockford Dec 6 1945 dealing with youth problems sponsored by the State of Illinois Bureau of Welfare. Members of the Council were asked to attend this meeting if possible and report back at the next regular meeting of the Council on Jan 8 1946

A report was given on the 11th annual meeting of the Chicago Recreational Conference given at the Morrison hotel and in substance we found that the problems of Dixon fitted into a general picture of thinking and planning for the future of activities for all ages in the recreational field. This meeting was attended by Miss Barton Mr Lancaster and myself

Mr Hopkins gave a report on a Civic Musical plan which was very thoroughly discussed. Mr Hopkins will contact various people in the community giving more details and this phase of community activity will be further gone into Jan 8 1946. This is a program that is not new in Dixon having been very successful some years ago. It is hoped that it can again be renewed but only by the coordinated effort of all citizens can it be started so again all members present were urged to talk it up

In the absence of Reverend George Curran chairman of the nominating committee Warren Miller member of the committee presented a slate of officers for the year 1946 they are a follows

President George Lindquist

Vice President Miss Esther Barton

Secretary William C Thompson

Treasurer Don McKinney.

The chair asked for nominations from the floor there being none the recommendation of the Nominating committee was accepted by voice vote and the above slate were declared duly elected for 1946

In a report to the South Central P T A I tried to explain what the Coordinating Council was doing. As it is shaping up it seems to me that the main function of the council is to act as a sounding board of public opinion and desire for the furtherance of community welfare. It can be only as effective as the member organizations wish it to be. It can study and recommend possible plans as brought to the attention of the Council and in meetings discuss these plans creating favorable opinion through the medium of the member organizations

To date we have discussed [illegible] recreational program for the community at large. It has been found that the [illegible] and has a [illegible] program which could be used [illegible]. Discussion has been entertained on a swimming pool and [illegible] center of recreation. Such an accomplishment can only be had if all interested citizens make their wishes felt through the various organizations to which they belong. The Council is a [illegible]. While [illegible] has fully [illegible] [illegible] there is nothing to prevent [illegible] [illegible] anything [illegible] from presenting [illegible] program [illegible] recommendation for [illegible] the Council [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] nation as a whole that in the coming year constructive effort for the betterment of Dixon and environs can continue. There is much that has been done there are many people who have contributed a great deal and we wish to thank them for the support extended. The organization feels that we are on the threshold of a new era wherein cooperative effort is required more fully than ever in the past to answer some of the pressing needs and problems which will call on the best effort we can put forth to settle them. Any problems which we have are not peculiar alone for they are present wherever people live together

Respectfully yours

George W Lindquist

President Dixon Coordinating Council

Shock Proof

Centralia Wash —(AP)—At the height of the Pacific Northwest's gale, Light Superintendent Paul Peyton answered a telephone call from a woman motorist who reported her car was snarled in power wires at Rainier. She asked him to shut off the power until her machine could be removed

"How did you get out of the car?" queried Peyton

"Oh I just pushed the wires aside with my purse and got out" she replied

The flabbergasted light executive assured her the power would be shut off immediately. The city's wires at Rainier carry 2,400 volts.

UTAH COLONY GROWS

Salt Lake City (AP) Utah's Japanese-American population has jumped nearly 200 per cent in five years from 2,210 in 1940 to 6,565 at present. However Saburo Kido national president of the Japanese - American Citizens League which reported the figure believes many of the new residents will return to the Pacific Coast in another year or so

Rate of blinking of the eyes varies greatly, from person to person. Some people blink their eyes only a couple of times a minute others as much as 30 times

New Loophole May Solve Labor Fight

Washington, Dec. 6—(AP)—The administration provided a possible wedge today for reopening some deadlocked wage disputes by boosting its estimate of how much living costs have increased since 1941.

Stabilization Administrator John C Collett announced that the cost of living rise is closer to 33 per cent than the previously accepted 29.5 or 30 per cent. And he added that employers who raised pay scales accordingly could use that factor as a basis for seeking price increases.

Collet was elaborating on President Truman's announced wage price policy. In that declaration of October 30, Mr Truman listed cost of living raises among the few classes of pay boosts which could be considered by OPA in passing on price increases.

Neither Mr Truman then, nor Collet last night, offered any guarantee that OPA would hike ceilings as a result

Even before Collet's announcement was made General Motors corporation and the CIO-Auto Workers scheduled resumption of negotiations today over the union's 30 per cent wage increase demand. Earlier in the day these talks had been postponed indefinitely.

Service Bits

T 5 Fernando Fillippi of Nelson has received his honorable discharge from the army at Camp Grant and returned to his home. He served 28 months in the African-Italian theater and wears the presidential citation with two oak leaf clusters among his several decorations

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S Sgt Robert Sworm, who served three and a half years in the Army without a furlough 33 months of his service being in Europe, has been discharged and is now at home

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Staff Sgt Earl J. Bennyhoff 315 Ottawa avenue, has been discharged from the separation center at Chanute Field Ill. He entered the service three years ago and during this time has served as chief clerk at Mitchell Field N. Y., and Lake Charles Army air field, La., where he remained until he received his orders to report to a separation center. He wears one bronze star and the American theater ribbon

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Sgt Merle E Bowers of route 2 Dixon, has received his honorable discharge from the Army at Fort Sheridan and returned to his home. He was in the service four years and 21 days. Twenty-five months of that time was spent overseas serving at Oahu, territory of Hawaii British New Guinea (Milne Bay) Maffin Bay New Guinea Sansapau Netherlands East Indies and Luzon P I landing there on D-Day, Jan 9 and was in continous combat over 200 days. He received the American theater, pre-Pearl Harbor Asiatic-Pacific and Philippine Liberation ribbons Good Conduct medal and two campaign stars. His parents are the Elmer Bowers of route 2, Dixon

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Harry Winters son of Mrs. Clara Winters, 1209 West Fourth street, arrived home early Wednesday morning following his discharge from the army at Fort Sheridan Dec 4

Winters is a veteran of more than 55 months service which includes duty in Canada, Alaska, the European theater, and Okinawa. At the time he started his homeward trek he was stationed with the Army Engineers at Naha, Okinawa. His outfit was one of those sent directly from the European theater to the Pacific following V-E day

Although the 40-watt incandescent light bulb filament appears to be scarcely more than an inch long it actually contains about 18 inches of accurately coiled wire

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Berlin Md —(AP)— 'Trespassers wanted now with good shootin eyes'" Those signs are replacing the old 'no trespassing markers on 5 000 farm acres near Berlin Rabbit and quail have multiplied during the war years and nursery stock suffered as sportsmen lacked ammunition Now it's open hostilities and marksmen are more than welcome

SWISS RESPITE

Geneva—(AP)—The Swiss Red Cross has brought a total of 75-000 war-suffering foreign children into Switzerland for extended vacations since November 1940



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Woman's Club Meeting

County Judge Grover Gehant will speak on public welfare at the December meeting of the Compton Woman's club which will be held on Monday evening Dec 10 at 7.15 at the high school gym Mary Kutter, public welfare chairman, is in charge of the program Those who are donating gifts for the girls of Park Ridge school are asked to bring them to the December meeting Food donations for overseas shipment are to be at Virginia's Beauty Shop by Saturday, Dec 8 Hostesses for the meeting are Faye Richardson Elizabeth Buck Mae Bradshaw, Mae Archer and Nellie Bernardin.

"Sock Polio" Drive

Sister Kenny's Sock Polio drive for funds is now under way and everyone is asked to make a donation regardless of size There will be Kenny collection cans left by Mary Kutter public welfare chairman of the Compton Woman's club, at the local stores for your contribution The goal for Illinois is $500 000 Fifty per cent of the money raised in Illinois will be retained in the state to take care of indegent polio victims send nurses to the Kenny Institute in Minneapolis to be trained as Kenny technicians and help to build Kenny clinics in Illinois

The other fifty per cent will be sent to the Kenny Institute at Minneapolis to conduct further research in infantile paralysis pay for an educational course erect a much needed building, etc With the generous support of everyone, the benefits of Sister Kenny's treatment can be made available to all polio victims

Eastern Star Installation

Eastern Star installation was held in the Masonic hall Saturday evening Nov 21 Jean and Jack Edwards, grandchildren of Mr and Mrs Alvin Beemer were the candle lighters Jean Edwards entertained with two instrumental numbers on her accordion and the following were the installing officers Clare Bradshaw, installing officer Clara Corwin installing marshall Mabel Cook installing chaplin Maxine Gilmore installing organist Amy Snyder vocalist following are the officers installed Worthy matron Cora Beemer worthy patron Alvin Beemer associate matron Anna Miller associate patron Ralph Miller secretary Ada Beemer treasurer Cecil Johnson conductress Ione Archer associate conductress Pauline Archer chaplin Lunice Stoner marshal Ruby Daw organist Hazel Rosenkrans Adah Marie Lutson Ruth Helen Fuller Esther Lubein Binghamin Martha Agnes Johnson Electa Fern Eggers warden Lloyd McDougall sentinel Roy Cook color bearer Anna Bernardin The installation was followed by a delicious pot luck supper which was served by the following Gerald Johnson William Bauer Charles Beemer Walter Archer and Charles Schrueder

All members of the Compton Woman's club are asked to have their donations of food for the overseas shipment at Virginia's Beauty Shop by Saturday Dec 8

Mr and Mrs Alvin Beemer visited with the Wilbur Beemers at Aurora Sunday

Mrs William Otterbach visited Wednesday with her daughter and family Mr and Mrs Clyde Estes and son Clyde William at Aurora

Circle two of the W S C S will meet December 12 with Mrs Ruth Rhoads with a scramble dinner at 1 o'clock Bring your table service and a dish to pass

Mr and Mrs George Wolf were supper guests Monday night at the William Otterbach home

The date of the December meeting of the W S C S has been changed to Thursday Dec 20

Rev and Mrs L J Grosshans were supper guests Sunday evening at the William Otterbach home

Infant Taken from Carriage



-NEA Telephoto

Ronald Curlan six-months-old reported kidnapped from his carriage near his Chelsea Mass, home shown in arms of his brother Thomas Jr An elderly woman believed to have been seen taking the child is being sought by police

State Child Welfare Services 'Confused' Committee Reports

Chicago Dec 6 -(AP)—A state of 'confusion' existing in the bewildering maze of Illinois child welfare services and agencies has been reported to civic and welfare leaders by the State Child Welfare Functions committee

Making the report public in a speech last night Chairman Chauncey McCormick of a subcommittee investigating welfare functions said this system creates rivalries and jealousies which at times thunder so loud that the cries of the children are not heard

The present division of authority and administration results in many children not receiving the benefits of agencies which have been established by law to serve them

The State School for Deaf at Jacksonville McCormick said, had been visited only twice in 16 years by the state superintendent of public instruction, while the Illinois School for the Blind, also in Jacksonville at one time housed 12 children with normal vision.

McCormick recommended reorganization and integration of the various departments and agencies involved to 'give them their full effectiveness'.

The report recommended that the public safety department rather than the welfare department be placed in charge of the State Training School for Boys near St Charles— if the practice of committing felons to the school continued'

TEN AND CARRY SIX

Baltimore- (AP)—When a men becomes father of a son after five daughters he's entitled to a vacation the Baltimore police department has decided It was Patrolman Joseph R O'Keefe who asking for and obtaining a 10-day leave established the department's precedent--after Junior established one for the O'Keefes.

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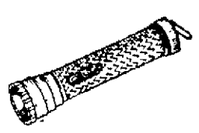


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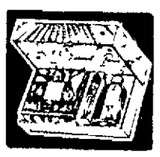


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A Thought for Today

For every one that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light, lest his deeds should be reproved.—

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'Twas a light that made darkness itself appear a thing of comfort.—Southey.

Holiday Travel

Christmas won't be entirely merry for those whose plans include train travel. At least, it won't be unless the traveler decides in advance that he is going to make the best of conditions that are almost certain to be crowded and uncomfortable.

Rail travel is at its wartime peak right now. Some 2,000,000 veterans will have arrived in east and west coast ports in November and December, headed for home and civilian life. There is an average of six rail moves for each serviceman during the redeployment process. And when the boys finally start for their home station, virtually all of them travel by train.

Some recent figures put out by the Pullman Co. give a rough idea of a wartime transportation job that is continuing at peak level more than three months after V-J Day. Since Pearl Harbor, Pullman has provided 95 billion passenger miles of service, 44 billion of which were performed for 33,000,000 troops in military movements. That's an average trip of 1300 miles for each serviceman carried.

About two-thirds of all these troops have traveled in sleeping cars. But today, more than 90 per cent of the homewardbound veterans are being carried in sleepers. Some 895 sleeping cars were transferred from regularly scheduled trains to the military pool last July, and are still there. With the holiday rush just around the corner, 151,000 Pullman sleeping accommodations are available exclusively for the military. That leaves only 57,000 berths for the civilians.

Obviously this is going to drive a lot of would-be Pullman travelers up ahead into the day coaches, where they will sit on the laps and tread on the toes of people who intended to go by day coach in the first place. It is inevitable that a lot of corns and tempers are going to be bruised.

But there probably isn't anything to be done about it. For people are going to travel this Christmas. Thousands, released from war jobs, will be heading for the first family reunion in two or three years. Thousands more, who patriotically refrained from unnecessary travel during the war, will now take that long-promised trip.

It won't all be pleasant. But it won't be so bad if the holiday traveler will remember that the bulk of the best accommodations are reserved for the men and women who best deserve them.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Washington—President Truman's labor-cooling program was largely the inner handiwork of John R. Steelman the New York conciliator, who was quietly brought into a White House office some weeks back, and of Labor Secretary Schwellenbach.

Steelman has had a career of some twenty years or more as a labor conciliator in and out of the government. He has maintained an impeccable judicial attitude although some employers occasionally have regarded him as leaning a little more on labor's side than on them. Schwellenbach always has been a strong left-of-center union politico and judge.

This cooling and fact-sifting plan based upon railroad labor mediation, you may recall, was suggested as a solution in this column published October 30 and more specifically presented again on November 15 as an objective of the labor-management conference. My comment then was "such a solution would achieve stabilization of the current chaos rather swiftly".

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Despite these objective or labor-leaning origins of the proposal, the CIO Auto Workers and indeed AFL President Green immediately protested and indicated they would resist.

In advance Truman felt so sure that they would accept that he acted without legal authority to set up fact-finding commissions for the auto strike and for the threatened steel strike.

I think the basis of the union objections is not primarily to the plan itself. If the unions have a just case, they can get justice from the program. A final decision by one representative of labor, one of management and the third deciding man from the public, represents the best possible hearing labor could expect to get for its cause.

Even then the decision is not binding. It merely represents a public judgement as to what is right and just, and carries only the weight and power of its manifest fairness.

But the unions have built up a great pressure game now behind the Auto Workers' case. That strike was the front running test case for the 30 percent wage increase demand, backed by all labor including Green and his AFL, although they have not said much about this phase.

White heat fervor has been worked up among the strikers and other union men eagerly watching the result of the contest. It is not often noticed in the public prints, but the human element, the human passion and excitement of leaders and men in strikes, is unquestionably a greater factor in the decisions which union leaders make than the wage facts of the matter, or the working conditions.

Nerves become frayed all down the line. Denunciation and recrimination of the managements, and vice versa naturally characterize the negotiations rather than any cool consideration of the facts (see Thomas-Reuther telegram to the president). The whole situation runs to emotionalism and propaganda on both sides.

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Now the Truman plan to eliminate all that and require both sides to submit their facts to impartial judgment, should have come out of the labor-management conference. The president and his advisers had planned it that way. From the inside, it would appear they leaned back too far in allowing the conferees to have their own head.

Steelman, for example, was careful not to see or communicate with anyone connected with either labor or management throughout the conference. Schwellenbach remained away also, and Truman only saw the delegates in occasional groups of threes and fours.

As a result, the solution he wanted was not forthcoming, and he had to go to congress to get it. He will get it there because it represents just about the mildest thing congress wants to do about the strikes.

The great impetus which has made the railway labor mediation base program so successful (only one minor strike in 19 years) was because both labor and management wanted it and got together and wrote it themselves.

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Resistance by the unions now to application of these sound settlement principles for the large strike cases in which the public has national interest, may tend to impede the effective workings of the plan. The White House apparently believes that, after thinking it over, the unions will drop their resistance.

Those who have looked into the facts of the Auto Workers' case say the fact-finding commission can be expected to recommend a wage increase between 15 and 20 percent which should be eminently satisfactory to the union.

They have some facts of which I am not fully aware, indicating prices and living costs would justify that much of a boost. Such a decision would practically fix national policy and could conceivably solve the whole situation.

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If the auto workers go against this solution, the whole union case will go back to its current chaos.

Furthermore, union resistance would practically force congress to pass some of the present pending bills requiring the unions to meet their national responsibilities, in a degree commensurate with their great national political power—to sue and be sued at least, and perhaps made subject to the anti-trust and other laws, thus placing them on an equal footing for the future with business. There are no other alternatives. Therefore, my guess is labor will come around and accept the solution.

Fair Enough

by Westbrook Pegler

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New York—Although the late President Roosevelt robustly enjoyed to broadcast the private business affairs of other citizens, especially the sources of their income, retrospect has developed the fact that he was always secretive about his own investments and profits. Mrs. Roosevelt, in all her writings, has given hardly a hint of the business interests which enabled so many Roosevelts and Delanos, for generations, to live in baronial state without work in the common man's understanding of the word.

It has been established, however, that Franklin D. Roosevelt was once one of the owners of a company-town, company-store coal property at Vintondale, Pa., and that his uncle, Frederic Delano, for nine years chairman of the National Resources Planning Board, at a good salary by his nephew's appointment, and numerous other Delanos had an interest in the same property. At last reports, these Delanos still had this interest.

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From a source close to the United Mine Workers I have received some memoranda on the Vintondale mine and a similar mine at Graceton, in the adjoining county, in Pennsylvania. Slightly edited in the interests of brevity and for other reasons but without distortion, the accounts follow:

"The mine at Vintondale, Pa., owned by the same interests as the Graceton Coal Company, is known as the Vintondale Colliery Company and is located in Cambria county, 18 miles north of Johnstown. Work was begun in 1902. The town consists of 225 houses which are in a very run-down condition. On an average there have been 400 men employed.

"This mine paid dividends on an over-capitalized condition for many years. In 1939, the United Mine Workers secured $60,000 back wages due and resulted in reopening the mine which is prospering at present.

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"The U. M. W. in 1914 conducted a seven-month strike to organize the mine but failed. A chief so-called guard, on a horse, patrolled the only roadway leading into the community. In 1919 and again in 1922 efforts were made to organize.

"The district union many years ago succeeded in buying a 40 by 60 plot of ground facing the large company store. In 1922, a meeting was advertised to take place on the lot. Immediately the coal company secured an injunction stopping the meeting. The Civil Liberties Union became interested and Arthur Garfield Hayes came from New York. Months of litigation ensued and resulted in the morale of the men being broken. They returned to work, non-union.

"In both cases (at Vintondale and Graceton) the coal companies controlled the political situation with the result that they controlled the schools, the churches, and the local administration of law. Armed guards patrolled the town. No discussion of the merits of the union was permitted and anyone who dared to violate this rule was immediately discharged and evicted on seven-days' notice.

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"In 1933, in the wave of organization, this town and mine became organized over-night. Once the fear of the guards was removed the men immediately joined. They have since been good members.

"The miners here were compelled to trade at the company stores until 1933 or while they were unorganized.

"These coal companies had financial difficulties in 1939 not because of the wage paid or of working conditions of the union contract but because of the top-heavy capitalization, admitted to in conference by Mr. Delano. During World War one, these mines paid dividends of over 100 per cent.

"The Graceton Coal Company opened a mine in 1894 and built a town of approximately 100 houses, most of them double houses, and a few single houses for the officials. The town was called Graceton. A large company store was erected where the miners were compelled to buy their necessities at high prices. Efforts of the U. M. W. to organize this mine were always resented by the coal company. Armed guards encouraged espionage among the men.

"Throughout the years 280 men were employed, on the average.

"The U. M. W. struck this mine in 1916, 1919, and 1922, without success.

"The company paid a higher yardage rate (of which there was little yardage) than its neighboring union mines but had no checkweighman and paid on a car basis. This was the only mine paying in this manner in central Pennsylvania. The U. M. W. organized this mine in 1933. The mine had no scales at its tipple and the union had to give it a two weeks' grace period so that scales to weigh the coal could be installed.

"The union secured a 50 per cent increase immediately over the 65 cents a car paid for a two-ton car of coal while the scales were being placed.

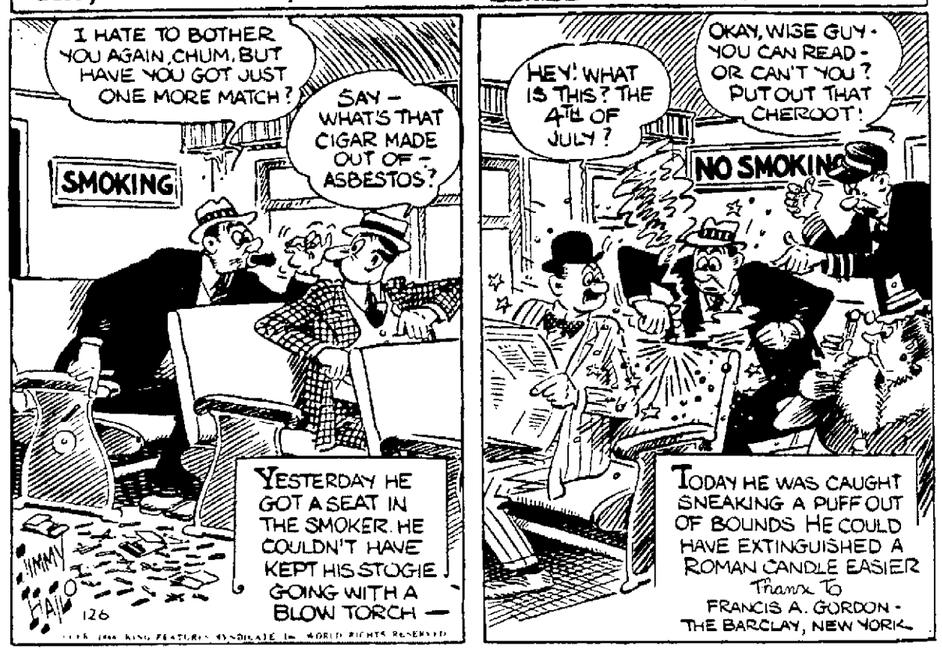
"Anyone prior to 1933 who was found discussing working conditions was immediately discharged. The company controlled the votes to elect a justice of the peace whom the superintendent usually selected. Anyone who complained that he did not not get justice was discharged.

"Before 1933, anyone, strangers in particular, had to discuss his business with the mine superintendent before he was permitted to enter the town. The town was patrolled by armed guards with Sam Browne belts filled with cartridges. A public road ran through the town.

"In 1933 the union guaranteed the men that they would not be discharged if they joined. This had to be done to remove the fear impressed on the men."

Our press and the Republicans were grieviously remiss in their failure to inform the public of Roosevelt's and the Delanos' financial interest in these properties and the social and economic conditions in these company towns during Roosevelt's political campaigns in the guise of an enemy of those who exploited labor in company towns and stores and who received excessive profits. Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt also may be deemed by some to have been guilty of oversight in neglecting to disclose the president's interest and the interests of the Delano branch of the family and the rate and amount of their profits. As Mrs. Roosevelt often has said and, as I agree, it the people do not know the truth they are handicapped in distinguishing sham from virtue in public men and may be imposed upon by mountebanks.

They'll Do It Every Time — By Jimmy Hatlo



Hollywood

BY BOB THOMAS

Hollywood, Dec. 6 — (AP)—At least some of the women in America are beginning to resent the slurs against their sex by the characters George Sanders plays.

In "Moon and Sixpence" and "Dorian Gray", Sanders tossed around such epithets as "women represent the triumph of matter over mind". When it was announced that he would again make such derogatory remarks in the David Loew-Albert Lewin picture, "Bel Ami", at least one group rose in protest.

Mrs. J. D. Cahn, president of the Associated Women's Clubs, New York City, wrote Loew: "We have all intentions of boycotting the film, should the original plan of slander upon women be continued".

But writer-director-producer Lewin does not intend to alter his course. Among the lines he has prepared for Sanders:

"There are two rules regarding women: 1, never believe what a woman says; 2, be on your guard when a woman is silent".

"No woman is worth what she costs, even if she costs nothing".

"Women should be kept in ignorance. To educate a woman is like leaving a razor where a monkey can find it".

Sanders merely shrugged and said Lewin put such words in his mouth and he is not responsible. For instance, in "Moon and Sixpence" he had this line: "Women are strange-little beasts. You can tread on them like dogs. You can beat them till your arm aches. And still they love you".

"I'm sorry I had to say that", Sanders told me. "I have since come to love dogs".

Ingrid Bergman is down to a whisper with laryngitis, but still working on "Notorious"....Hunt Stromberg is forging into the lead in the race to get his Jane Russell picture, "Young Widow", to the public before Howard Hughes' "The Outlaw"...John Hodiak has a cold but is still working in "Somewhere in the Night" to preserve his record of never having missed a day's work...Charles Laughton is recording Bible stories for Decca...Louis Calhern left for New York in such a hurry that he didn't have time to record some dialogue for "Notorious"...He phoned his lines in from the east...Funniest radio creation in years is Fred Allen's Senator Claghorn.

Steel Company Can't Pay Annual Dividend

New York, Dec. 6—(AP)—Hayward Niedringhaus, President of the Granite City Steel company, said today that in 1945 with "operations at near-record volume" the firm would be unable to pay a year-end dividend.

Niedringhaus made the announcement in connection with a meeting of the company's board of directors.

The company has a plant at Granite City, Ill., and is a producer of flat-rolled steel.

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I wish to thank all my friends and relatives for the many cards, letters and other gifts received during my long stay in the Swedish American Hospital at Rockford, Ill.

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XXI

RHINE CROSSINGS

THE Combined Chiefs of Staff met at Malta in early February preliminary to a meeting with President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill, and Marshal Stalin in the ARGONAUT Conference at Yalta a few days later. En route to the Conference, I met General Eisenhower briefly at a secret rendezvous near Marseilles where we discussed his future plans that were later approved at Malta, providing for the closing of the Rhine, the destruction of enemy forces west of the river, the seizure of bridgeheads across the river in the north and south and coordinated drives into the heart of Germany. At Yalta the general plan for the final destruction of Nazi Germany was established.

In executing General Eisenhower's plan, a coordinated drive by the First Canadian Army from the Nijmegen bridgehead along the watershed between the Meuse and the Rhine was necessary and an attack by the U. S. Ninth Army across the Roer toward Dusseldorf was to follow shortly afterward. On 8 February the First Canadian Army began its attack following a heavy air and artillery preparation. Initially, the Canadian advance was rapid, but flooded terrain delayed the start of the Ninth Army attack, permitting the enemy to concentrate against the Canadians.

In preparation for the Ninth Army offensive the Tactical and Strategic Air Forces flew almost 10,000 sorties on 22 February, covering rail and transportation targets throughout the length and breadth of Germany. These blows from British, French, and Italian bases were designed to paralyze the German rail system and isolate the Western Front. The next day the Ninth Army attack was launched and, although there was some delay in establishing bridgeheads over the flooded Roer, the general progress was quite rapid. By 1 March Roermond and Munchen-Gladbach were captured and the following day the armored columns reached the Rhine north and south of Dusseldorf. Meanwhile, in the Prum-Trier area, the Third Army drove across the Our and Sauer Rivers, capturing Prum on 12 February. Successive bridgeheads were established across the Saar and the Kyll Rivers and on 2 March Trier fell to our troops. From the launching of the operations on 8 February to 1 March more than 66,000 German prisoners were captured by the Northern and Central Army Groups.

Remagen Bridgehead a Windfall

Advancing on the right of the Ninth Army, the First Army captured the ruins of Cologne on 7 March against stout resistance. On the same day elements of its 9th Armored Division, probing to the Rhine further south, found the Ludendorff Bridge at Remagen intact and immediately crossed to the east bank, developing a small bridgehead. Such a windfall had been hoped for but not expected. The prompt seizure and exploitation of the crossing demonstrated American initiative and adaptability at its best, from the daring action of the platoon leader to the Army commander who quickly redirected all his moving columns in a demonstration of brilliant staff management. He established powerful elements across the river immediately in accordance with direct orders from General Eisenhower. The bridgehead provided a serious threat to the heart of Germany, a diversion of predictable value both to the main effort in the Ruhr and to the reduction of the Saar-Palatinate. It became a springboard for the final offensive to come.

In the meantime, the Third Army was forcing its way through the rugged Eifel hills. By 7 March constant pressure had crushed the German front north of the Moselle. General Patton's armor broke out and dashed forward to the Rhine near Koblenz on the 9th. Contact was established with General Hodges' First Army units southeast of Remagen and by 11 March the Allies controlled the west bank of the Rhine from Nijmegen in Holland to its junction with the Moselle at Koblenz.

Once the Eifel sector had been mopped up, General Patton was ready to assist the Seventh Army in reducing the Saar pocket. General Eisenhower wrote me:

"Tomorrow morning the XX Corps of Patton's Army begins a local attack in the Trier area as a preliminary to the general attack by Seventh Army on the 15th. So far as we can determine there is not a single reserve division in this whole area. If we can get a quick break-through, the advance should go very rapidly and success in the region will multiply the advantage we have secured in the bridgehead at Remagen. It will probably be a nasty business breaking through the fortified lines, but once this is accomplished losses should not be great and we should capture another big bag of prisoners. I have given Seventh Army 14 divisions for their part of the job, and XX Corps (Third Army) jumps off with four. Patton will throw in another subsidiary effort from north to south across the Moselle with about four to five divisions."

Saar Pocket Mopped Up

On 14 March General Patton established a bridgehead across the Moselle, southwest of Koblenz. The following day his troops lunged southward from the Moselle bridgehead, other Third Army forces drove east from Trier, and the Seventh Army attacked northward between Saarbrucken and the Rhine. Despite dense mine fields and the formidable Siegfried Line fortifications, the Seventh gained steadily, pinning down strong enemy formations and leaving the Third Army tanks free to cut to pieces the rear of the German position. On 16 March a spearhead of the 4th Armored Division broke through for a gain of 32 miles and seized two bridges across the Nahe River south of Bad Kreuznach. From this point on, resistance south of the Moselle crumbled. Armored divisions of the Third and Seventh Armies enveloped the Saar, and the Rhine cities of Worms and Mainz fell to our swift columns.

While pocketed German forces in the Saar were still in process of being mopped up, Third Army infantry of the Corps under Maj. Gen. Manton S. Eddy, achieved a brilliant surprise by crossing the Rhine at Oppenheim south of Mainz late on 22 March with decidedly sketchy and improvised means. In two days this bridgehead was expanded to a width of 15 miles, and on the third day the 4th Armored Division broke through the enemy lines to a depth of 27 miles, seizing an undamaged bridge over the Main River. The daring armored thrusts in the Saar had criss-crossed and intermingled elements of the two armies. Under the skillful direction of General Bradley and General Devers, the Army commanders regrouped their mingled corps and divisions without loss to the momentum of the offensive.

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BEYOND THE RHINE

IN six weeks the combined efforts of the Allied armies had achieved a major objective. The German soul west of the Rhine had been cleared of all hostile forces. The river itself had been forced in two fortuitous crossings, and the freedom of action of the German defense on the east bank was seriously curtailed. General Eisenhower was now ready to launch his offensive beyond the Rhine.

Several considerations governed the selection of the area north of the Ruhr for the main effort. A drive in this sector was the quickest means of denying what vestiges remained of the once rich Ruhr industries to the enemy. That stretch of the Rhine between Emmerich and Wesel was one of the two best sites for a forced crossing, and the Germans had brought up only relatively inferior forces to oppose such an operation. Once across that river the gently rolling terrain north of the Ruhr was most suitable for mobile and tank operations the type of warfare it was desired to force upon the enemy because of his shortages in tanks, vehicles, and motor fuel.

After a heavy aerial and artillery preparation, the Second British Army began an assault crossing of the Rhine during the evening of 23 March. Next morning, the U. S. 17th and the 6th British Airborne Divisions were dropped north and northeast of Wesel. British troops crossing the river soon established contact with the airborne forces. The U. S. Ninth Army crossed between Wesel and Duisburg early on the 24th, meeting light to moderate resistance. Within two days seven bridges had been built across the river and the British-American bridgehead stretched 25 miles along the Rhine to a maximum depth of 6 miles.

Eisenhower Praises Troops

General Eisenhower was with the Ninth when it jumped off. He described the attack in a letter:

"I have just finished a rapid tour of the battle front. Yesterday and the day before I was with the Ninth Army to witness its jump-off and the early stages of the Rhine crossing. Simpson performed in his usual outstanding style. Our losses in killed, during the crossing, were 15 in one assault division and 16 in the other. I stayed up most of one night to witness the preliminary bombardment by 1,250 guns. It was an especially interesting sight because of the fact that all the guns were spread out on a plain so that the flashes from one end of the line to the other were all plainly visible. It was real drumfire.

"I have noted so many unusual and outstanding incidents in the forward areas that it would almost weary you to tell you of the fine performances of American and other troops. For example, the Engineers of VII Corps laid a Treadway bridge across the Rhine in 10 hours and 11 minutes. While not actually under fire, this job was done under battlefield conditions with all the necessary precautions taken to prevent unusual damage by a sudden concentration of enemy artillery fire. It was a brilliant performance."

During the critical week ending 22 March, United States aircraft alone made 14,430 heavy bomber attacks, 7,262 medium bomber attacks, and 29,981 fighter sorties against targets in Europe.

By 25 March hard fighting in the Remagen area had extended the bridgehead to a depth of 10 miles and a length of over 30. The German High Command, expecting an immediate drive on the Ruhr from this direction, had concentrated strong forces of Army Group "B" north of the Sieg River. To their great surprise, General Hodges broke out of the bridgehead to the southeast on 26 March, when his armor drove to Limburg, seized a bridge over the Lahn River, and raced along the superhighway toward Frankfurt. Other armored columns of the First Army, speeding eastward as fast as 40 miles a day, reached Marburg and Giessen by 28 March, and then swung northward through the hill country west of Kassel. Troops of the Third Army crossed the river at Mainz to reduce the German pocket bypassed between Mainz and Frankfurt while, to the east, other Third Army forces drove on toward Kassel and the line of the Fulda River. With solid contact between their advancing corps, the First and Third Armies were now executing a massive thrust to the northeast into the heart of Germany. The complete rout of the German military establishment was now under way.

Resistance Shattered

In the sector of Field Marshal Montgomery's Northern Army Group, the U. S. Ninth Army pressed into the northwest section of the Ruhr. Still further to the north, resistance on the right flank of the British Second Army slackened considerably toward the end of March, and armored troops broke through to Dulmen. Meanwhile, on the left flank of the Second Army, the enemy withdrew, and British units crossed the Dutch border on a 30-mile front.

During the last week of March both of General Devers' armies in the south crossed the Rhine. The Seventh sent the XV Corps, commanded by Maj. Gen. W. H. Haislip, across on a 15-mile front between Gernsheim and Mannheim. Our troops took Mannheim and advanced 25 miles east of the Rhine. The II Corps of the First French Army crossed the Rhine near Germersheim and established contact with the Seventh Army south of Heidelberg. By 1 April, French troops had advanced 18 miles.

The magnitude of the offensive smothered resistance all along the Western Front. The shattered condition of the German transport system and the sustained speed of the Allied advance prevented the enemy from coordinating a defensive line in any sector. He did offer bitter resistance at isolated points but these were bypassed by the armored columns, leaving pockets to be mopped up later. During the month of March nearly 350,000 prisoners were taken on the Western Front.

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MISS MARY ALICE QUINN AND FRANCIS RYAN MARRY IN OHIO CHURCH NUPTIALS

Miss Mary Alice Quinn, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Quinn of Ohio, became the bride of Francis Harold Ryan, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Ryan of Maytown, on Saturday, Dec. 1, at a 9:30 o'clock nuptial high Mass in the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Ohio. The Rev. Carl Maza officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The church altars were decorated with bouquets of white mums and lighted candles, and preceding the ceremony Dale Doran sang Ave Maria accompanied by his mother, Mrs. William Doran, organist. The hymn, On This Day O Beautiful Mother, was sung by the choir as the bridal party came down the white carpeted aisle to the altar.

The bride wore a gown of white satin fashioned with fitted bodice and sweetheart neckline, long sleeves that came to points at the wrists, and full skirt that formed a train. Her fingertip veil was fitted to her head with a satin beaded Juliet cap, and she carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums and two orchids forming a centerpiece of the bouquet, and carried a pearl rosary She also wore a strand of pearls a gift of the bridegroom.

Attendants

Her attendants were Miss Bernice Crannell, her cousin, and Mrs. Lester Blaine, sister of the groom Miss Crannell wore a blue marquisette dress made with fitted bodice and full skirt, and she wore a headdress of fuchsia feathers and carried a bouquet of fuchsia mums.

Mrs. Blaine was wearing a gown of pink marquisette made with a fitted bodice and full skirt. She wore a headdress of blue feathers and carried a bouquet of blue mums. Judith Ryan, niece of the groom, was flower girl, dressed in a floor length gown of pink satin, and she carried a basket of pink petals. David Blaine, nephew of the groom, dressed in a navy blue wool suit, carried the rings on a heart-shaped satin pillow. The bridegroom was attended by John Ryan and Howard Foley. Frank Loan, cousin of the groom, and Bobby Johnson, cousin of the bride, were ushers.

Mrs. H. R. Johnson, aunt of the bride, was dressed in black crepe and wore a corsage of white gardenias, and Miss Agnes McFadden, aunt of the groom, wore a navy blue crepe dress and white gardenias.

Breakfast Party

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was given for the bridal party, Father Maza, Father Smith and 45 guests at the Nachusa House.

The bride is a graduate of the Ohio Community high school and also a graduate of Rosary college, River Forest, Ill. She also attended Scovill Business college at Sterling. For the past two years she has been employed in Madison, Wis.

The groom received his education in Maytown rural schools and Amboy Township high school. He served in the armed forces for 46 months, and was overseas with Gen. Mark Clark's fifth army throughout the Italian campaign. In October he received his honorable discharge at Camp Grant.

For traveling the bride chose a wool suit of light gray gabardine with black accessories and a corsage of purple orchids. After a wedding trip they will be at home to their friends in Ohio, Ill

ELEANOR MALMBERG BECOMES BRIDE OF FLOYD MERDIAN

Miss Eleanor Malmberg, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Malmberg of Walnut, became the bride of Floyd Merdian, youngest son of Mr and Mrs Joe Merdian, also of Walnut in a ceremony at 1:30 o'clock Saturday The Rev C. A. Maza read the double ring ceremony at the rectory of the Immaculate Conception church in Ohio in the presence of the immediate families.

The bride wore an apple green afternoon frock trimmed in black sequins and a corsag of pink roses. Her attendant was Orland Gloden of Walnut her sister, wore a border print dress in a darker shade of green and a corsage of white carnations. Both wore black accessories

Both the bride and groom were members of the 1941 graduating class of the Walnut Community high school Mrs Merdian was employed at the Green River ordnance plant until it closed this fall and her husband has just recently been returned from service in Europe and has been discharged

After a short wedding trip the couple will make their home in Walnut

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Robert Daehler was honored at a birthday party last night given by his aunt, Miss Leah Adams, at his home, 801 Second street.

Three of his friends were present to assist in the celebration Ice cream and cake were served

LLOYD W. RUCKER AND PHILADELPHIA GIRL WED DEC. 1

Announcement is being made by Mrs. L. L. Madrask of Philadelphia, Pa., of the marriage of her daughter, Marie, to Lloyd W. Rucker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rucker of Polo. The wedding ceremony took place on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 1, at 3 o'clock in St. Joseph's church in Philadelphia A reception was held at the Madrask home that evening.

Following a brief honeymoon spent in New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Rucker will be at home to their friends in an apartment at 119 Jamestown avenue, Philadelphia.

SERVICE CLUB TO MEET ON MONDAY

Service club members, who will meet Monday at the home of Mrs. Clarence Vroegindewey at 2 o'clock, are reminded to take any gifts they have for soldiers at Camp Grant to the meeting. These gifts are to be individual presents and the Red Cross, who is acting as collector of the gifts to aid the soldiers in the Camp Grant hospital to have a merrier Christmastide, is asking that they be wrapped in gay papers with the contents clearly listed on the outside with a removable tag.

NELSON RED CROSS

Members of the Nelson Red Cross chapter are being reminded of the gift plan that the Camp Grant hopsital council has suggested to aid in helping soldiers in Camp Grant hospital have a happy yuletide. Individual gifts are being asked for any may be left with Mrs. Max Genz, or at the Stitzel store by Saturday.

Calendar

Tonight

Nachusa Teachers' Reading Circle—Mrs. Sidney Heagy, hostess, 8 p. m.

Music Festival—Dixon high school.

WMS of 1st Baptist Church—Mrs. Grace Mason, hostess, 7:30 p. m.

Unity Guild—Mrs. C. B. Swarts, hostess, 2 p. m.

E. R. B. Class of St. Paul's Church—Christmas party and supper at church, 6:30 p. m.

Twentieth Century Literary Club—Mrs C. J. McLean, hostess, 7:30 p. m

Foreign Travel Club—Meet in Loveland Community House, 8 p. m.

Presbyterian Women's Association—Mrs. Henry Pollock, hostess group I; Mrs. Wallace Elifson, hostess, group II, 8 p. m.

Goodfellowship Class — Scramble supper; Melvin cottage.

Friday

Mothers' Study Club of Christian church—Mrs Gene Kishbaugh, hostess, 8 p. m.

Lee County Chapter American War Mothers—Meet in G. A. R. hall 2:30 p m

Dotothy Chapter O. E. S.—Scramble supper, 6.30 p m; stated meeting 8 p m

Gap Grove P. T. A.—Meet at school, 8 p m

Elks' Auxiliary - Scramble luncheon at Elks' club, 1 p. m.

Saturday

Dixon Woman's Club — Loveland Community House, 2 p. m.

Monday

Dixon Woman's Relief Corps No. 218 Fifty-third anniversary and Christmas party G A R hall luncheon noon

Service Club Mrs Clarence Vroegindewey, hostess, 2 p m

Announce Marriage of John W. Frase, Lorraine Pohlmann

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pohlman, 3275 Armitage avenue, Chicago, are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Lorraine, to John W. Frase, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Frase, 916 Logan avenue, Dixon, on Saturday morning, Nov 3. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev A. J. Hinterberger at St. Aloysius church in Chicago at 10 a. m.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was wearing a white brocaded princess style gown and beaded coronet held her long veil in place. She carried a bouquet of white roses mixed with sweetpeas and a white orchid.

Miss LaVerne Pohlmann, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor wearing a velvet chartreuse gown and carrying a bouquet of tea roses with pompons. Paul Heilgeist, Jr., of Harmon served his brother-in-law as best man, and little Joan Baer was flower girl, wearing alpine rose velvet. Billy Heilgeist of Harmon carried the rings on a white satin and lace pillow.

There were seven bridesmaids Laverne Petretti, wearing kelly green velvet Louise Walenda, wine velvet, Dorothy Zdanowski, light orchid velvet, Dorothy Sitkiewicz, gold velvet, Jean Krough, blue velvet, Bernice Cieslak, blue velvet, and Dorothy Tragus, alpine rose velvet. Their gowns were styled with sweetheart necklines front shirring, three-quarter sleeves and full skirts, and they carried American Beauty roses and white mums. They also wore blusher veils that matched their gowns.

The ushers were Johnny Walenda, Harry Rostkowski, Edward Janko, Albert Meyers, Richard Pohlmann and Frank Bracato.

A wedding breakfast at Wicket Park hall, 2042 West North avenue, was served following the wedding ceremony for the bridal party and families of the newlyweds, and a reception was held for 325 at 6:30 o'clock in the evening.

Mrs. Frase witnessed the ceremony wearing a frock of midnight blue and white with black accessories., Both had corsages of red roses.

The new Mrs. Frase formerly assisted her mother in the Gift and Art Shop in Chicago.

The bridegroom recently received his release from the army at Wakenian General hospital after receiving treatment for wounds received in the European theater. He went into the service in August, 1941, and spent 28 months overseas.

Mr. Frase and his bride are now making their home here with his parents while their new home is being built.

INU Employes Are Party Hostesses for Two Brides

Miss Catherine Herman and Frances May arranged a party that co-workers at the Illinois Northern Utilities company gave last night in honor of two recent brides that formerly worked at the company, Mrs. Truman Thompson (Beverly McBride) and Mrs. Curtis V. Donoho, (Lucille Stauffer)

The party was in the form of a dinner given at 6:30 o'clock in the Evans' coffee shop for about 60 feminine members of the company who presented the honorees with beautiful gifts The dinner tables were decorated in holiday dress of red carnations pine and red tapers.

GAP GROVE P. T. A.

The Gap Grove Parent Teacher association will meet in the Gap Grove school at 8 o'clock Friday evening The program will include pictures to be shown by Homer Schildberg of Dixon.

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DR. HOWARD M. EDWARDS, JR.- WILL CLAIM LT. RUTH GANZ AS HIS BRIDE NEXT JANUARY

An engagement and approaching marriage of a well known and popular man from town who is serving his internship at present, and a young woman who is a member of the WAVES will be of special interest today to townspeople.

The engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lt (j g.) Ruth Ganz of the WAVES, to Dr. Howard M. Edwards, Jr., son of Dr and Mrs. Howard M. Edwards, 822 Chula Vista is being announced by Lt. Col. and Mrs. Carl D Ganz of Fort Omaha.

Until three years ago the Ganz family resided in Alvo, Neb. Lieutenant Ganz is a graduate of Stephens college, Columbia, Mo., and the University of Nebraska, where she was a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority.

Dr. Edwards was graduated from Northwestern university and Cornell University Medical college. He is a member of Phi Kappa Psi and Nu Sigma Nu fraternities. Dr. Edwards is interning at Methodist hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y., at present.

The couple is planning a January wedding.

Franklin Grove OES Officers Are Installed

Garnet chapter, O. E. S. of Franklin Grove held public installation of officers Monday evening in the chapter room lighted with tall white candles. Benjamin Dillon and Roger Taylor served as the candlehighters.

Mr and Mrs. Charles Schmucker the retiring worthy patron and worthy matron, entered the chapter room followed by Mrs. Edna Gross, who placed the open Bible on the altar. The installing officers Mrs Selma Frunt, chaplain, Mrs. Kathryn Herbst, marshal, and Mrs. Beulah Tennant of Dixon, installing matron, and their escorts then entered and took their respective stations.

Mrs Mary Spangler was the installing organist and Miss Wanda Spangler soloist for the evening.

The new corps of officers entered the chapter room and formed a semi-circle around the altar, Mrs. Blanche Cryor, new worthy matron, stood at the altar, and Miss Spangler sang an Eastern Star song to her.

Other officers installed were Raymond Jacobs, worthy patron; Blanche Durkes, associate matron; Luther Durkes, associate patron; Maude Taylor, secretary; Charles Schmucker, treasurer; Lorraine Schmucker, conductress; Dorothy Durkes, associate conductress; Clara Schank, chaplain; Gladys Jacobs, marshal Minnette Moore will be installed later as organist. Others were Kathryn Herbst, Ada; Kathryn Cover, Ruth; Ruth Dillon, Esther; Annis Meares, Martha; Beryl Fish, Electa; Vena Weigle, warder; Walter L. Moore, sentinel; Roy R. Dillon, flag bearer.

After the officers were installed, short talks were expressed by some, and Mrs. Blanche Durkes presented the past matrons' jewel to Mrs. Schmucker, who responded with a brief review of her past two years as matron.

At the close of the meeting, Miss Wanda Spangler sang two vocal solos, Joy of a Rose and Where Heaven Is. Miss Carolyn Herbst played her accordion and sang two old favorite numbers. Kenneth Gross was flag bearer for the evening.

The refreshment committee served about 75 visitors and friends from Ashton, Nachusa, Dixon and Franklin Grove. The first stated meeting with the new officers will be held Monday, Dec. 10.

NELSON UNIT TO HAVE YULE DINNER

Sixteen members of the Nelson Home Bureau unit and four invited guests met at the home of Mrs. Earl Shaffer on Tuesday afternoon and Miss Myrtle Shaffer were the assisting hostesses. Miss Barbara Herlin Lee county home adviser, presented the major lesson on "How Habits Are Formed."

Plans for a turkey dinner to be held at the home of Mr and Mrs. Charles Crombie on the 18th at 6:30 o'clock were made, and will be for members of the Nelson Home Bureau and their husbands.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting and an exchange of Christmas gifts followed. The next meeting will be held Jan 8 at the home of Mrs. Ed Hollenbeck.

COMMUNITY CLUB PARTY ON DEC. 19

The South Dixon Community club enjoyed a pleasant afternoon meeting recently at the country home of Mrs. Noah Beard. Several guests were present for the social hour and auction held in the afternoon following a luncheon at noon.

On Wednesday, Dec. 19 the club will have a scramble supper and Christmas party scheduled for 6:30 o'clock at the Loveland Community House. Each family will observe picnic rules and provide a 50c gift for each man and woman attending, and also a gift for each child accompanying his parents. Cards will be the diversion of the evening. For additional information members may contact Mrs. Robert Shippert.

ELKS' AUXILIARY LUNCHEON FRIDAY

A special business meeting and games of cards will follow the scramble luncheon planned for the Elks Women's auxiliary at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Elks' club. Picnic rules will be observed.

20TH CENTURY CLUB

Twentieth Century Literary club will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the home of Mrs. C. J McLean instead of at 8 o'clock as previously announced.

Army Veteran Takes Bride in Rockford



Carl Franklin Lundstrom, well known violinist, and his bride, the former Laverne Doris Lenz, will reside in Beverly Hills Cal. some time in the near future. Their marriage, an event of last Saturday took place in the Second Congregational church in Rockford. Pictured from left to right are Mrs. Frank Lenzen of Rockford who attended the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Lundstrom, and Ralph Beveridge of Oregon who was best man. Mr. Lundstrom, formerly of Oregon, was recently discharged from the army.

RUTH CARPENTER BIRTHDAY HOSTESS

Mrs. Gertrude Carpenter entertained yesterday afternoon for her daughter, Ruth, who was celebrated her eleventh birthday Guests invited to the party included Shirley Thayer, Barbara Drew Barbara Heatherington, Joan Huyett, Diana Cory and Sharon Ware, Ruth's sister, Priscilla, was also present.

Favors for the event were felt bookmarks, and a birthday cake with pink candles was one of the main attractions. Ruth received many nice gifts

P. E. O. LUNCHEON

At a meeting of chapter AC, P. E. O. Sisterhood on Monday at the home of Mrs. A. F. Moore, a program was given by Mrs. John Charters on Christmas carols following a scramble luncheon at 1 o'clock. Carols were sung by a few of the members accompanied by Mrs. Haefliger.

The luncheon was a farewell gesture for Miss Edna Burnham who soon leaves for Scarsdale, N. Y., where she will spend the winter with her sister, and Mrs. F. J. Robinson, who will make her home in St. Paul, Minn.

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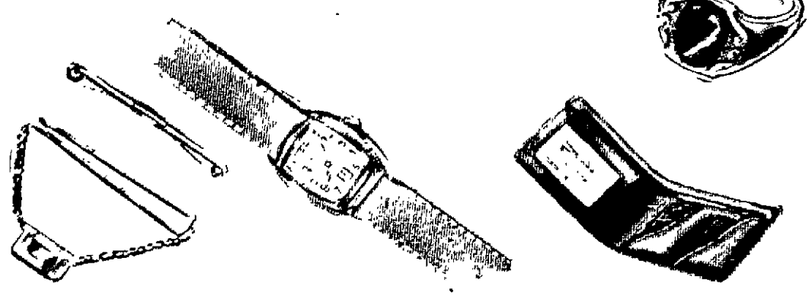
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Cold Causes Many Casualties Among Chinese Soldiers

Nationalists Ill-Clad to Face Rigors of Drive Into Manchuria

Chinhsien, Manchuria —(AP)— It was two degrees above zero the morning we accompanied Gen Tu Yu-Ming, commander of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek's North China armies on an inspection tour of this railroad center, recently retaken from Chinese Communists.

His bodyguards looked like walking quilts in their cotton-padded yellow-green uniforms and wrap around leggings. Many had only light gloves and thin canvas slippers to protect their hands and feet from the bitter December wind. Some troops have frozen to death and the cold has caused almost as many casualties as have clashes with the lightly armed Communists.

These Nationalist troops were brought up in American ships from South China. They feel as out of place in Manchuria as a Florida Cracker on guard duty in Montana during a blizzard. They are well drilled and disciplined however, and they know how to handle their American tommy guns and old Springfield rifles.

Chief guest on the inspection trip was Vice Adm. Daniel E. Barbey, commander of the U. S. Seventh Fleet. Tu personally drove his about the city in his own Buick with the remainder of the party following in three of the Chinese army's four jeeps in Manchuria.

"Heavy Breakfast"

We left Nationalist headquarters in the modern Japanese railroad demarcation building after a heavy breakfast of eggs, tea and hot cakes and steaks.

Tu a close friend of Chiang Kai-Shek, is youthful looking, shrewd and friendly, and American observers have a high opinion of his military ability. His secretary-general and advisor on political and economic problems is Prof. Yu Hsih-Chung, 45-year-old Harvard-trained history teacher.

During the morning we inspected a Japanese army supply dump which Yu said had been looted and set afire by Chinese Communists, the second largest cotton-spinning mill in Manchuria, and a Japanese airport. Nationalist troops had repaired minor damage to the airport and 11 Chinese-piloted American C-46 cargo planes landed with more than 20 tons of small arms ammunition — enough, Tu said, to speed somewhat his march on Mukden, the largest city in Manchuria.

Little Left of Dump

There was little left of the Japanese underground supply depot, from which Chinese Nationalist officers said Russian troops had stripped out some 500 tons of materials for their own use before withdrawing. Chinese Communists put the torch to the depot a few days later, before they were driven out.

At the great eastern cotton-spinning mill hundreds of small boys and girls were threading machines in the vast plant which is now resuming operation with one-fifth of its former force of 5,000 employes. Because they have no one of his technical skill to replace him, the Chinese have retained the Japanese manager, Shigemitsu Suzuki.

The professor became angry when in response to his query "and how are we treating you?" Suzuki said: :

"Very well. Only, if you could keep your soldiers from coming at night and taking away our girls—"

"You have no right to say this!" shouted Yu.

"I know I have no right," said the little Japanese manager, bowing and grinning as all orientals do when nervous, "but I beg of you—I beg of you."

But Professor Yu still was displeased. He is unhappy unless he can convince you that all Chinese Nationalist soldiers wear halos and all Chinese Communists carry pitchforks and walk on cloven hooves.

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State of Illinois, County of Lee ss.
In the Circuit Court.

Charles F. Sheppard,
Plaintiff
Vs.
Frances Irene Sheppard
Defendant

Civil Action In Entity, No. 3232

Affidavit showing that the defendant Frances Irene Sheppard has gone out of this State and on due inquiry cannot be found, so that process cannot be served upon said defendant, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of this court, notice is therefore, hereby given to said Frances Irene Sheppard defendant that the plaintiff in the above entitled cause filed his complaint in said cause on the 28th day of November, 1945, and that said action is now pending and undetermined in said court, and that you, the said Frances Irene Sheppard, defendant, must file your appearance in said action on or before the first Monday in the month of January, 1946, and in the event you fail to do so default may be entered against you.

E. S. ROSECRANS.
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Afternoon

12:00 Life Can Be Beautiful—WBBM.
Hymns We Love—WGN.
Dinner Bell—WLS.
12:15 Ma Perkins—WBBM.
Tunes and Tips—WMAQ.
12:30 Young Dr Malone—WBBM.
Stone and Brito—WGN.
Elizabeth Hart—WMAQ.
12:45 Road of Life—WBBM.
John J. Anthony—WGN.
1:00 Guiding Light—WMAQ.
Two on a Clew—WBBM.
1:15 Perry Mason—WBBM.
Eddie and Fannie Cavanaugh—WGN
Today's Children—WMAQ.
1:30 Woman in White—WMAQ.
Rosemary—WBBM.
Queen for a Day—WGN.
Family Party—WLS.
1:45 Hymns of All Churches—WMAQ.
Fenn and Tim—WBBM.
2:00 Voice of America—WMAQ.
Al Pearce Show—WCFL.
Songs to Remember—WLS.
2:15 Ma Perkins—WMAQ.
Man on the Street—WGN.
Clara, Lu and Em—WBBM.
2:30 Pepper Young's Family—WMAQ.
World Roundup—WLS.
Editor's Daughter—WBBM.
2:45 Right to Happiness—WMAQ.
Linda's First Love—WBBM.
3:00 Jack Berch show—WENR.
House Party—WBBM.
Backstage Wife—WMAQ.
3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ.
Beulah Kearney—WENR.
3:30 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ.
Words and Rhythm—WGN.
Ladies Be Seated—WENR.
3:45 Young Widder Brown—WMAQ.
4:00 Glamor Manor—WENR.
When a Girl Marries—WMAQ.
4:15 Portia Faces Life—WMAQ.
Cinnamon Bear—WGN
4:30 Just Plain Bill—WMAQ
The Music Mart—WGN.
Ted Malone—WENR.
4:45 Front Page Farrell—WMAQ.
Hop Harrigan—WENR.
In a Sentimental Mood—WGN.
5:00 Gregg Donovan—WMAQ.
Robert F. Hurleigh—WGN.
Terry and the Pirates—WENR.
5:15 Dick Tracy—WENR
Superman—WGN.
Bacal and Sherr—WBBM.
Pleasure Parade—WMAQ.
5:30 Cadets—WMAQ.
Capt Midnight—WGN.
Jack Armstrong—WENR.
5:45 The World Today—WBBM.
Tennessee Jed—WENR.
Tom Mix—WGN.

Evening

6:00 Jim Blade—WMAQ.
Dr. Preston Bradley—WGN.
6:15 News of the World—WMAQ.
King's Jesters—WBBM.
6:30 Mr Keen—WBBM.
Gang Busters—WLS
Skip Farrell—WMAQ.
6:45 H. V. Kaltenborn—WMAQ.
Easy Aces—WGN
7:00 Suspense—WBBM.
Burns and Allen—WMAQ.
Bob Elson—WIND
Lum and Abner—WLS.
7:15 Inside of Sports—WGN.
7:30 Rogue's Gallery—WGN.
Town Meeting—WLS
FBI program—WBBM.
Dinah Shore's Open House—WMAQ.
8:00 Frank Morgan—WMAQ.
Kostelanetz Orchestra—WBBM.
Gabriel Heatter—WGN
8:30 Treasure Hour of Song—WGN.
Hobby Lobby—WBBM.
Detect and Collect—WENR.
Jack Haley—WMAQ
9:00 Abbott and Costello—WMAQ.
Curtain Time—WENR
Slater Hypnotist—WGN.
Island Ventures—WBBM.
9:30 Powder Box Theater—WBBM.
Kenny Baker—WENR.
Buck Valley Show—WMAQ.
10:00 Minit Herth Trio—WGN.
Supper Club—WMAQ
Jack Kirkwood—WBBM.
10:15 Jack Smith—WBBM.
But Not Forgotten—WENR.
10:30 Incredible but True—WMAQ.
Charlie Chan—WENR.
10:45 Busy Line—WBBM.
Story Drama—WENR.
Vagabonds—WMAQ
11:00 News reports—WMAQ.
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11:30 Design for Listening—WMAQ.
12:00 Curfew time—WGN.
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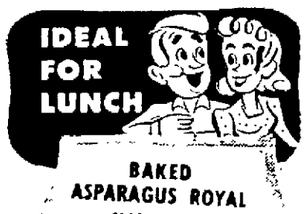
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Rumors Say Cards Will Trade Cooper; Phils Bid for Hurler

Three Teams Bidding; Chandler Rebuffed by Minor Executives

Columbus, O., Dec. 6—(AP)—Even though he's still in service, Catcher Walker Cooper today had become the prized piece of ivory as the 44th annual convention of the National Association of Professional Baseball leagues got down to serious business and serious trading.

The major league clubs had no official status at the convention, of course, but they all were represented and the dope was that the New York Giants, the Boston Braves and the Pittsburgh Pirates were interested in getting Cooper's contract from the St. Louis Cardinals.

Pirates Bidding

The Pirates were reported ready to offer Catcher Al Lopez and the Braves were ready to toss in Backstopper Phil Masi. The Giants were said to be ready to give only cash.

Meanwhile, it was reported from sources the boys said were reliable that Johnny Humphries was going from the Chicago White Sox to the Philadelphia Phillies. Humphries, who formerly pitched for Cleveland, won only six while losing 14 for the Sox last year, but he reported late after being a holdout.

Vote Separate Affair

One of the busiest guys around the hotel lobby today was baseball's Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler but that didn't detract from the fact that the minors seemed to be gunning for the grinning Kentuckian. They approved a proposal that a baseball promotion program hence forth be "separate and apart from any other office in organized baseball."

The minors voted that the governing board for the foundation to romote baseball on the sandlots and in the high shcools should include the commissioner, the presidents of the two major leagues, and the president of the minors but Chandler insisted "they want to pick their own man."

LINCOLN CAGERS WIN

Lincoln grad school won a pair of basketball games from St. Mary's grade school last night in the Lincoln gymnasium, the Lightweights winning, 22 to 9, and the Heavyweights taking a 21 to 11 decision.

Eugene Carlson led the Lightweights in their triumph, while Roland Helms sparked the Heavyweights to their victory.

Vaughan Hospital Goes To Vet Administration

Washington, Dec. 6—(AP)—The Veterans Administration announced today presidential approval of locations for 29 new hospitals and one new home.

In addition, the agency said Mr. Truman has authorized additions to several existing hospitals and transfer to the Veterans Administration of seven Army General hospitals five for temporary use.

Mr. Truman formally authorized the transfer from the War department to the Veterans Administration of the Vaughn General hospital at Hines, Ill.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

LEWISTON, Me.—Willie Pep 128, Hartford, outpointed Hans F... Gibson 120, New York (10) (non-title).

—Read Westbrook Pegler tonight

Bowling Bits

By "FRIDAY"

In the Commercial league last night Hill Bros. won three from Nachusa, and increased their lead one game, being out in front by four markers with 30 wins and 12 losses. Bob Hill led his Grocers with 555 and Dale Weidman topped Nachusa with 504.

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Sunnybrook took two games from Myers Royal Blue to hold their tie for second with Boynton-Richards, at 26-16, with the Royal Blue dropping into a tie with the United Cigars for fifth with 23-19. Walt Klein was high for Sunnybrook with 585 and LLarry Poole topped the Grocers with 564.

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To hold their share of second Boynton-Richards won two from the Hunter Co., with Ralph Schroeder's 587 high for the Clothiers and Danny McCardle leading the Hunter Co. with 510.

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James Billiards took over fourth with 24-18 after winning all three of their games from the Dixon Cut Sole. Andy Tilton topped the James Boys with 589 and Nelson's 508 led the Shoemen.

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Chauffeurs Local won two from United Cigars, to tie Harmon for seventh place with 22-20, dropping United into a tie with Myers Royal Blue for fifth with 23-19. Hank Chamness led the Chauffeurs with 548 and Hermie Koehler's 541 topped United.

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Harmon gained their share of seventh by winning two from Potts Market, with George Jacobs' 534 high for Harmon and Oscar Witzzleb leading the Butchers with 537.

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Reynolds Wire ended in eighth with 21-21, after winning two from Shell Service. LLyle Fordham led the Wiremen with 539 and Andy Ventler's 529 was high for Shell.

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H. A. Roe Co was the other two game winner with Bob Harridge topping the Harcos with 568 and Mert Ransom's 469 high for the Stables.

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Andy Tilton had the high series of the night with 589 and high games were Tilton 225, Duffy 229, Becker 215, J. Smith 202, W. Klein 202, F. Smith 207, Lessner 209, Fitzsimmons 208, E. Worton 205, Raymond 203, Harridge 202, Schroeder 256.

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In the Ladies Afternoon league the Crows won two games from the Cardinals, throwing these fives into a tie for first with 15-11. Minnette Meinke was high for the Crows with 449 and Mrs. Arnold Lund topped the Cardinals with 462.

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Canaries won two from the Swans with Carrie Barlow high for Canaries with 378 and Mrs. Dave Kelly's 361 topping the

Mrs. Arnold Lund had the high series of the day with 462 and Minnette Meinke rolled the high game with 171 in her last set.

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John Smith, holding the high average in Dixon added another feather to his cap last night with the low game to share that honor with Ralph Schroeder, each having 119. Clell Weidman was undisputed winner of the series spot with 493.

THE DOGHOUSE

Ladies' League

A. Smith, low series 453
L. Ventler, low series 453
V. Kelchner, low game .. 124

L. N. U. League

K. Hasselberg, low game .. 93
K. Hasselberg, low series . 398

Classic League

J. Smith, low game 119
R. Schroeder, low game .. 149
C. Weidman, low series .. 493

Commercial League

J. Biggart, low game 115
J. Biggart, low series ... 392

Major League

H. Koehler, low game ... 128
H. Koehler, low series ... 448

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The ten high average keglers in the Commercial league tonight are.

Carl Becker 183
Cy Winebrenner 179
Heinie Reynolds 173
Al Vorhis 171
John Shultz 167
George Bishop 166
Orin Lovin 165
Mike Dusing 161
Everett Brown 161
S. L. Kerley 163

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There's still time to enter in the mixed singles which takes the alleys following the major league tomorrow night. Handicap for both men and girls will be figured from a 190 top.

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Dale Weidman would have done about as good for Nachusa last night, if he'd left the rest of the squad at home, as the rest of them proved too big a load for him to carry . . . Eph Worton started out last night with 205, and came right back with 242 in his next two games for a nice 447 series . . . Jimmy Noakes and Harry Dickerson made a special trip from Polo to tell us Bob Karstedt, who had the high total in the match here Sunday evening continued his hot streak Monday night at the Golden Bowl, turning in 613, including a 252 game . . . Jim is taking pool lessons from Harry at present . . . This has been quite a week for two Dixon athletic stars, both Flash Fordham and Shires Miller celebrating their 32nd birthday . . . Two heartbreakers came up last night, with Ralph Schroeder just missing the season's high game one pin, with his 256 count in his second game and John Krug also falling short one counter for "400" with his 399 . . . Frank Kolde held his games nearest alike in the Classic loop with a difference of six pins with 170-164-167 . . . Roy Fitzsimmons kept going down and down last night, starting with 208, then lopping off 38 pins for 170, and a final discount of 39 to end with 131 . . . All the games in the Classic league were decided by rather large margins last night, the closest being around 20 pins. If anyone happens to see Arnold Lund they might ask him if he ever rolled a better three-game series than his better half's 462 yesterday afternoon.

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CLASSIC LEAGUE

Team—	Won	Lost
Hill Bros	30	12
Sunnybrook	26	16
Boynton-Richards	26	16
James Billiards	24	18
United Cigar	23	19
Myers Royal Blue	23	19
Chauffeurs Local	22	20
Harmon	22	20
Reynolds Wire	21	21
Nachusa	20	22
Potts Market	19	23
Shell Service	19	23
The Stables	17	25
H. A. Roe Co	17	25
Hunter Co	14	28
Dixon Cut Sole	13	29

Individual Records

High game—F. Smith 257
High series—W. Klein 619

Team Records

High game—Harmon 1089
High series—Hill Bros 3050

Hill Bros.	1	2	3	Tot
R. Hill	190	177	179	555
Dusing	162	157	182	501
F. Hill	170	133	149	452
Melvin	110	185	148	456
Rosbrook	189	177	162	528
Handicap	97	97	97	291
Totals	957	920	917	2794

Nachusa	1	2	3	Tot
Utz	128	162	151	441
K. Weidman	105	108	145	358
G. Weigle	190	117	144	451
D. Weidman	158	161	182	501
C. Weidman	190	151	152	493
Handicap	123	123	123	369
Totals	892	825	897	2614

Sunnybrook	1	2	3	Tot
J. Smith	170	149	202	521
Detweiler	160	195	162	517
Schofield	139	140	147	426
Klein	186	197	202	585
Wolfe	181	164	198	543
Handicap	62	62	62	186
Totals	898	907	973	2778

Myers Royal Blue	1	2	3	Tot
McClanahan	161	174	180	515
Myers ave	160	160	160	480
Poole	187	195	182	564
F. Smith	207	160	189	556
Lange	167	191	168	526
Handicap	62	62	62	186
Totals	914	942	941	2827

Hunter Co	1	2	3	Tot
Cooper ave	151	151	151	453
Shaulis ave	162	162	162	486
Willard	152	167	159	488
Maloney	152	140	134	426
McCardle	166	167	177	510
Totals	931	905	901	2737

Boynton-Richards	1	2	3	Tot
Schroeder	149	256	182	587
Dockery	184	136	160	480
Miller	158	226	161	545
Austin	163	162	154	510
Hackett	147	192	178	517
Handicap	79	79	79	237
Totals	881	1051	917	2879

James Billiards	1	2	3	Tot
Brotherton	161	176	192	529
Putnam	155	131	127	413
Tilton	184	225	180	589
Duffy	177	229	174	580
Becker	215	179	188	582
Handicap	68	68	68	204
Totals	960	1008	929	2897

Dixon Cut Sole	1	2	3	Tot
Hartzell	143	169	135	447
Stumpf	156	123	171	450
Germanson	122	123	110	355
Kolde	170	164	167	501
Nelson	137	199	172	508
Handicap	149	149	149	447
Totals	877	927	904	2708

Chauffeurs Local	1	2	3	Tot
Lessner	158	209	170	547
Sweeney	178	169	169	516
Van Doren	145	145	177	467
Dusenbach Sr	131	194	157	482
Chamness	192	189	167	548
Handicap	93	93	93	279
Totals	897	999	933	2829

United Cigars	1	2	3	Tot
Koehler	179	172	190	541
Burrs	132	157	166	455
Fitzsimmons	208	170	131	509
Hartman	165	150	144	459
Moerschbaecher	168	150	195	513
Handicap	82	82	82	246
Totals	934	881	908	2723

Harmon	1	2	3	Tot
Peach	132	145	186	463
Volk	157	179	111	467
Allen	137	144	189	470
Jacobs	178	164	191	534
Hopkins	183	192	168	543
Handicap	97	97	97	291
Totals	894	880	971	2748

Potts Market	1	2	3	Tot
Potts	168	120	162	450
Myers	183	145	138	466
Wadsworth	126	132	150	408
Ostrander ave	155	155	155	465
Witzleb	191	161	185	537
Handicap	139	139	139	417
Totals	962	852	929	2743

Shell Service	1	2	3	Tot
Keenan ave.	154	154	154	462
Lazier	145	180	137	462
McClain	157	151	146	454
Stanton	148	148	148	444
Ventler	166	181	182	529
Handicap	126	126	126	378
Totals	894	948	891	2729

Reynolds Wire	1	2	3	Tot
E. Worton	205	142	116	447
Ellis	152	161	183	496
Peterson	179	136	161	476
R. Winebrenner	151	150	185	486
Fordham	190	183	166	539
Handicap	105	105	105	315
Totals	982	867	910	2759

The Stables	1	2	3	Tot
Barrowman	156	140	136	432
Byers	154	126	153	433
Ransom	155	166	148	469
Cook	155	145	151	451
Krug	132	118	149	399
Handicap	148	148	148	444
Totals	900	843	895	2628

H. A. Roe Co	1	2	3	Tot
Raymond	164	203	167	534
Hayes	139	155	145	439
Roe	182	169	166	517
Edwards	173	137	161	471
Harridge	197	169	202	568
Handicap	120	120	120	360
Totals	985	953	961	2899

LADIES AFTERNOON LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost
Crows	15	11
Cardinals	15	12
Swans	12	15
Canaries	11	15

Individual Records

High game—Scott 197
High series—Duffy 538

Team Records

High game—Cardinals 952
High series—Cardinals 2596

Crows	1	2	3	Tot
Knox	106	152	122	380
Herlihy	125	135	121	381
Haas ave	113	113	113	339
Tilton ave	118	118	116	348
Meinke	133	145	171	449
Handicap	183	183	183	549
Totals	786	841	826	2453

Cardinals	1	2	3	Tot
Duffy ave	140	140	140	420
Shoaf	116	109	125	350
Daschbach	157	131	151	439
Loomis	117	88	113	318
Lund	156	140	166	462
Handicap	179	179	179	537
Totals	895	797	904	2596

Swans	1	2	3	Tot
Ridge ave	139	139	139	417
James ave.	111	111	111	333
Swan ave	103	103	103	309
Kelly	121	93	147	361
Nelson	103	103	111	317
Handicap	190	190	190	570
Totals	767	739	801	2307

Canaries	1	2	3	Tot
Tessman	130	112	115	362
Campbell	115	75	110	300
Scott	88	90	127	314
Barlow	115	108	155	378
Williams	105	114	130	349
Handicap	218	218	218	654
Totals	771	722	865	2358

State's Cagers in Testing Matches During Weekend

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 6—(AP)—Four Illinois high school basketball teams boasting proud early season records, Marmion Military academy, Proviso of Maywood, Marion and Johnston City, face strong challengers this weekend.

Marmion, undefeated in five starts, entertains Morgan Park Military academy and Joliet on successive nights. The Cadets have averaged 53 points a game. Joliet stopped previously undefeated Coal City and then bowed to Hammond, Ind., and Riverside of Brookfield.

Led by high-scoring Don Sokolovsky, the Proviso quintet tangles with Oak Park Friday. Favored for the Suburban League title, Proviso slipped past Elgin 46-44 in an overtime thriller last weekend, and has annexed its other four starts handily.

Marion Faces Test

Marion (won 3 lost 0) and Johnston City (4-0) will battle Saturday in one of the outstanding Southern Illinois contests. On Friday Marion plays host to Centralia, winner of three straight and Johnston City challenges Murphysboro.

Centralia, already labeled a southern standout, faces Anna-Jonesboro Saturday.

Following Friday's meeting with Proviso Oak Park's Huskies travel to Decatur Saturday to tackle the state champion Reds. Decatur has given notice of continued power with victories over Springfield Lanphier, Quincy and Morton of Cicero. The Reds invade Bloomington Friday.

Northwest action centers on games between Galesburg (3-0) and Rock Island (1-1), and Kewanee (4-0) and Moline (1-0).

Waukegan Face's Evanston

New Trier, defeated only by a strong Dundee team in four games, faces Morton of Cicero 2-2 Friday and Elgin (1-1) Saturday. Little Somonauk (5-0) travels to East Aurora. Undefeated Waukegan tangles with Evanston (1-0) and West Rockford (1-0).

Dundee, whose only conqueror in four starts was Waukegan, plays Batavia (5-1). East Rockford won its opener from Waterman last weekend and faces Hyde Park and DeKalb on successive nights.

In central Illinois, Champaign seeks its fifth straight from Mattoon (2-0). The Urbana cagers (2-1), weakened by flu, hope to recoup at Danville (3-0). Lincoln (2-1) plays Peoria Manual.

Pontiac (2-0) plays host to Fairbury (0-2), Taylorville (3-1) tackles Clinton (2-1), and Beardstown (4-0) journeys to Pittsfield (2-1).

Other attractions include Benton at Mt. Vernon (4-0), Paris (4-0) at Greenup, Pinckneyville (1-0) at Sparta, Harrisburg at West Frankfort (2-0), Vandalia (4-0) at Effingham (2-2), and Carbondale (3-0) at Sparta.

Basketball

(By The Associated Press)

COLLEGE

Depaul 46 Oklahoma Aggie 42
Louisville 61, DArcy ... 32
Camp Grant 61 Concordia Seminary (St. Louis) 40
Lawrence 52 St. Norbert College 40.
Iowa State Tchrs 50, Grinnell 32
Iowa Wesleyan 82 Hamline ... Grange 25
Long Island Univ ... Muhlenberg 40.
Illinois Tech 58 Chicago Naval Armory 50
Great Lakes 5. Michigan State 4. (Overtime)
Western Michigan 60 St. John's (Brooklyn) 57 (Overtime)
Purdue 51 Camp Atterbury 41
Illinois 51, St. Louis 46 (Overtime).

HIGH SCHOOL

Edwardsville 57 Benld 34
Casey 46 Illinois School for the Deaf, (Jacksonville) 38
Murrayville 41 Bluffs 36
East St. Louis 31 O'Fallon 28
Modesto 27 Scottville 10
Pittsfield 30 Winchester 18
Nokomis 32 Ramsey 2.
Kincaid 1. Morrisonville 26

Big Ten Athletic Heads to Decide Sports Probelms

Chicago, Dec. 6—(AP)—Special problems of reconversion and the drawing up of spring and winter sports schedules were slated for action by Western Conference Athletic administrators today as they opened a three-day meeting.

Most of the 50-year-old conference's problems revolve around servicemen returning to Big Ten football and the residence, of freshman, rule limiting competition to three years, which was waived in February, 1943.

The question of whether Big Ten football schedules should go back to the nine game maximum in effect before the war also will be decided. Wartime conference legislation had extended football schedules to 10 games to provide service teams with competition. Basketball schedules also were extended.

Today's sessions will be devoted to general discussions. Tomorrow, the faculty representatives and the athletic directors will hold separate meetings, and conference coaches will draw schedules for baseball, indoor and outdoor track, swimming, wrestling, tennis and golf. Dates for conference meets also will be announced.

Presidents of the Ten Conference universities will attend the sessions at which a proposal for a sportsmanship award in memory of the late Commissioner John L. Griffith will be considered.

Commissioner K. L. (Tug) Wilson will present his report to the faculty representatives, athletic directors and coaches at today's opening session. Supervisor James Masker's report on football officiating in 1945 will be given at a later meeting.

—If you have anything whatsoever to sell, try a "For Sale" ad in the Dixon Evening Telegraph.

Topping's Break With NFL Starts Major Grid War

New York, Dec. 6—(AP)—It was war to the hilt today between the National Football league and the new All-America Professional conference which plans to start operating next fall.

Dan Topping, wealthy sportsman brought matters to a head yesterday when he bolted the National League for the new organization. This landed the new group smack into the middle of the rich Manhattan area by gaining the use of the Yankee Stadium and its coveted seating capacity of 80,000.

Disagrees

Topping, owner of the Brooklyn franchise in the National league which this year was merged with Boston, and part owner of the New York Baseball Yankees, declared he had made the break because Tim Mara owner of the New York Football Giants, declined to agree on playing dates.

"An agreement has been reached with the All-America conference for a franchise at Yankee Stadium," Topping said in a prepared statement. "Operations will begin in 1946. It is, in our opinion, a move that should be beneficial not only to professional football in general but to New York and Brooklyn. Ray Flaherty, our coach, has spent the last three months since his discharge from the navy lining up additional talent to round out our roster. Many of the old Brooklyn players already have returned from the services and we hope to have them all back before the opening of the season."

Topping said his team would be known as the New York Football Yankees. It is the ninth club in the conference that already has awarded franchises to Brooklyn, Buffalo, Chicago, Baltimore, Cleveland, Los Angeles, Miami, and San Francisco. Jim Crowley, commissioner of the conference asserted that a 10th franchise would be awarded soon.

Mara declared he was "surprised, but not shocked" at Topping's move. "We have been doing business here at the Polo Grounds for at least 21 years while teams in the Yankee Stadium have come and gone," he said.

Hockey

(By The Associated Press)

Boston 6, Chicago, 3.

At the outbreak of the war, the Royal Canadian Navy consisted of 1,774 men.

Score on Freak Kick Takes Oddity Crown

New York, Dec. 6—(AP)—When California converted its own backward punt into an 85 yard touchdown run that knocked U. C. L. A. out of the Rose Bowl, coaches and writers participating in the Associated Press season-end poll agreed they had found the oddity of the football year.

There was the matter of an Indiana touchdown being called back because of interference by a German boxer dog and the strange affair at Princeton when Yale punted only once in an entire afternoon for a total yardage of zero, but the California incident was the queerest.

California had the ball on its own 33. Left End Jack Lerond had been called back to punt but the slippery ball slithered off the side of his foot and went back over his head bouncing to his own 15. His blocking back, Quarterback Ed Welch, scooped up the ball and ran 15 yards to the UCLA 10 and lateralled to Lerond who went the rest of the way for the only score of a 6-0 game.

The dog story happened in Champaign Ill., where Indiana, destined to go on to capture its first Western Conference title, was playing Illinois. Midway in the second period with fourth down on the Illinois 15 the dog wandered onto the field behind the Illinois defense just as the play started. Referee Bill Blake blew his whistle just before Melvin Groomes faded back and tossed a pass to End Ted Klusewski in the end zone. The score was nullified but Indiana, luckily for its Big 10 hopes, went on to win, 6-0.

Down in the southwest, Jack Price of Baylor caught his own pass for a seven-yard loss after it had bounced off the arm of a Texas defending lineman, while at Ohio State, Fullback Ollie Cline once punted straight up and back for a seven-yard loss.

Mother Dies Enroute to Visit Injured Son

Aurora, Ill., Dec. 6—(AP)—Mrs. Agnes LaPriese, widowed by the death of her husband three months ago, died from an attack of heart disease yesterday after being stricken in front of a hospital where she had gone to visit her oldest son.

Her death made orphans of Robert, 11, in the hospital with a broken leg; Dorothy, 9, and Paul, 7. The family lived in nearby Downers Grove.

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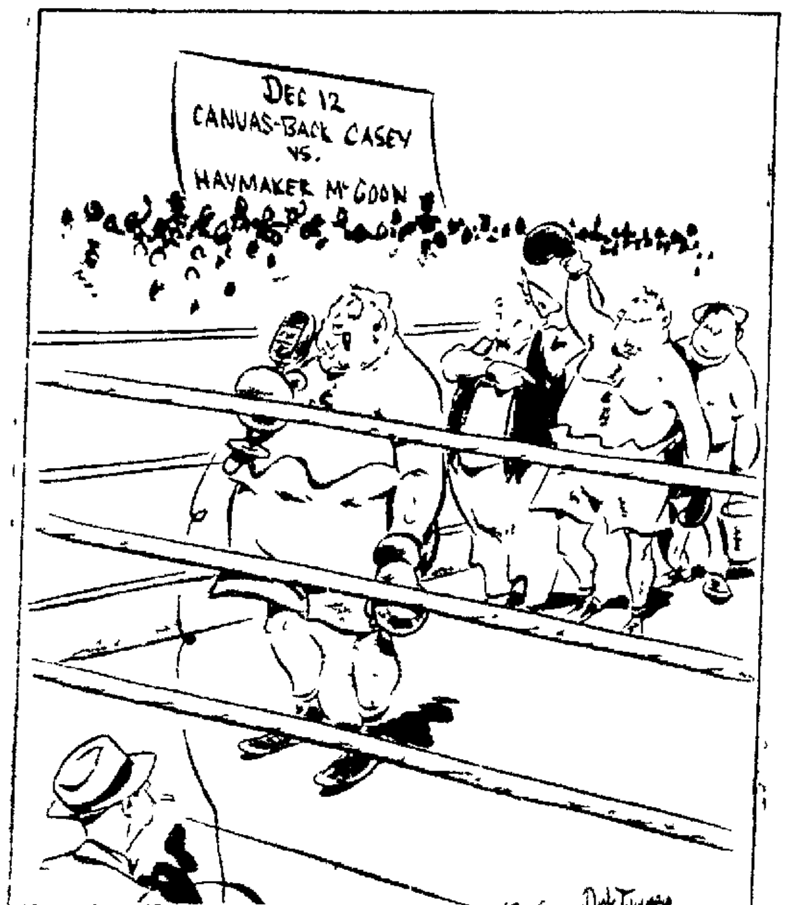
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Suffered Broken Leg

While in Chicago Saturday where he was exhibiting two steers at the fat stock show Allen Armstrong fifteen-year-old son of Mr and Mrs Robert Armstrong suffered a broken leg when kicked by a steer of another exhibitor He was brought to Oregon and is under treatment at the Warmolts clinic.

Visiting Father

Roy Swope of Cedar Rapids Iowa is spending a few days with his father Joseph Swope at the home of Mr and Mrs Ernest Dirksen.

Twin Sons

Oregon relatives have received word of the birth of twin sons November 29 at St Elizabeth's hospital in Chicago to Apprentice Seaman James Harris and wife The young lads weighed six pounds each and have been named James Michael and Donald Hughes Seaman Harris is training in the Navy V-12 program at the University of Illinois Medical College in Chicago and will graduate as an M D in June. He is the son of Mr and Mrs Fred Harris of Rochelle formerly of Oregon

Parents of Daughter

Mr and Mrs Francis Jones are parents of a daughter Sharon Lee seven pounds six ounces at Rockford Memorial hospital Saturday Dec 1.

Breaks Hip

Mrs William Dickhoff suffered a broken hip in a fall in her home Tuesday She was taken to the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital in Dixon

Wedding Anniversary

Mr and Mrs Carl Kyker were entertained at supper Tuesday evening at the home of their son in law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Kenneth Jones in observance of their twenty-eighth wedding anniversary

Discharged

Lt Edward Gecan in U S Air Corps the past two years came home Tuesday from Walla Walla Wash and Wednesday went to Chanute Field for his discharge

Arrived in U S A.

Lt Stanley Kozuch U S Army Air Force called his parents Mr and Mrs Kazimer Kozuch Tuesday night from the west coast where he had arrived from the Pacific area He has been in service since July 1913 and went overseas in February 1915 serving with the 581th Bomber squadron He expects to get home in about ten days and is the last of the three Kozuch sons who were with the armed forces to return home

Officers Elected

Rebekah order elected officers at their meeting Tuesday night as follows Lucille Lumsden noble grand Vena Colson vice grand Edna Winney recording secretary Harriett Todd financial secretary Winifred Fouch treasurer May Reed Ella Hatleman Grace Brunner Ida Bechtold and Edna Myers trustees Mary Reed staff captain Appointive officers are to be named at a later date

Personals

Mrs J N Hoover of Dixon spent Monday and Tuesday with her parents Mr and Mrs H R Maysilles

Mr and Mrs Charles Fouch were Sunday visitors of Mr and Mrs Clinton Motter in Leaf River

Mr and Mrs George Altenberg were visited Sunday by her sister Mrs Lent Sweet of Dixon

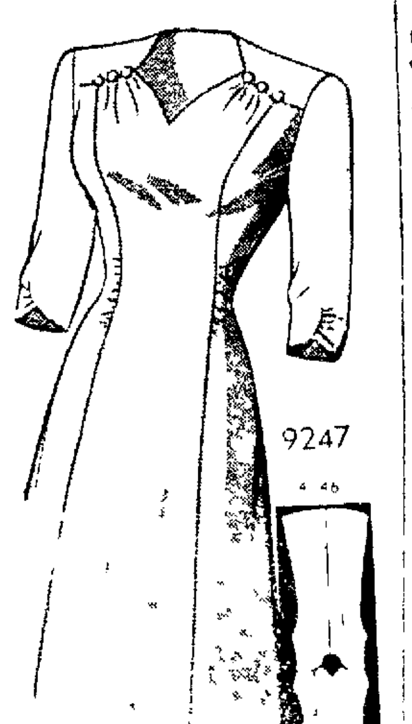
M O Hill is a medical patient at the local clinic

Miss Jeanne Gapson submitted to a tonsillectomy at the local clinic Monday

Mr and Mrs Robert Armstrong were at Iowa City Iowa Friday and Saturday to see his father Frank Armstrong who is critically ill

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Day By Day On the Air

by

C. E. BUTTERFIELD

(Central Standard Time)

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Inner Sanctum is sending out Christmas notices that it's going to be good in its CBS program that night No murder mystery or anything eerie Instead Helen Hayes will be the guest to act as narrator for the play a Christmas story repeating Charles Tazewell's Littlest Angel

Coming up tonight ABC 10 35 Victory Bond program with Bing Crosby Paul Whiteman and others Friday NBC 11 30 a m Archbishop Francis J Spellman recently returned from overseas on 'Relief in Europe and Far East

Topics tonight (Thursday) NBC 6 30 Bob Burns 7 30 Dinah Shore show 8 Frank Morgan 9 Abbott and Costello 9 30 Rudy Vallee CBS 7 Glenn Ford in Suspense 8 Kostelanetz Music Dorothy Kirsten 9 30 Danny O-Neil theater 10 30 Newspaper Guild Page One Awards ABC — 6 30 Green Hornet 7 30 Town Meeting Universal Military Training , 8 30 Detect and Collect 9 Curtain Time MBS - 7 Raising a Husband quiz 8 30 Antonini's concert 9 You Make the News drama 10 30 Recorded Maj Gen L R Groves and others on Atomic Energy

Friday programs NBC 8 15 Bond Drive Week program from KSOO-KELO Sioux Falls S D 12 30 p m Bond program from WAVE Louisville 5 30 Sports Spotlight 8 People Are Funny, 11 05 Bond Week program from WSM Nashville CBS 11 a m Kate Smith, 2 15 Pearl Harbor Memorial Mass 4 School of the Air 6 30 Ginny Simms and Phil Harris 9 30 Danny Kaye show ABC 8 a m Breakfast club, 12 30 p m Club Matinee , 15 Bride and Groom 7 Blind Date 8 Famous Jury Trials MBS 9 30 a m Fun with Music 12 30 p m Luncheon With Lopez 3 Erskine Johnson on Movies 7 30 Freedom of Opportunity 9 Think You Know Music quiz

During the war the British flew 18 railway locomotives to Burma

AS YE DRINK—

Ancient Spartan soldiers believed that a diet of goat's milk soup gave them the butting power of a goat and enhanced their value as shock troopers

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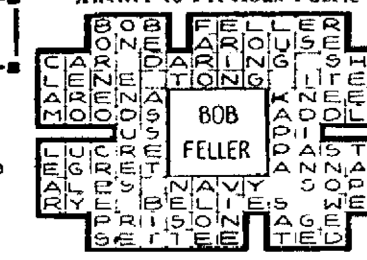
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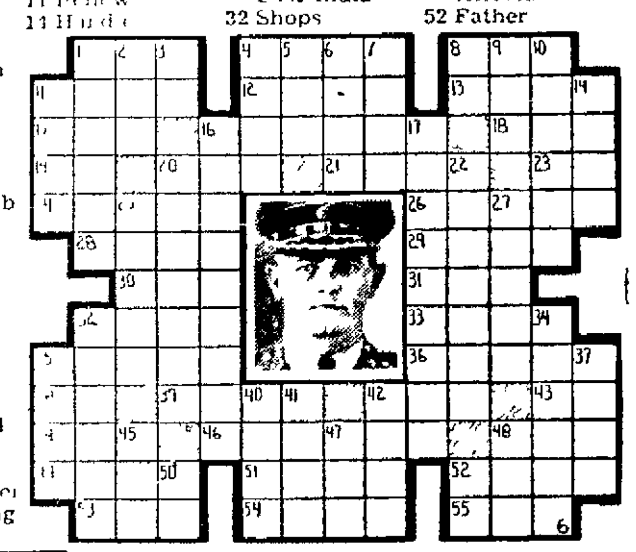
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Answer to Previous Puzzle





Side Glances

By Galbraith



"Welcome, Mrs Jones! Of all the people who swore they'd never set foot in my shop after the war, you're the last one back!"

This Curious World

By WILLIAM FERGUSON



ANSWER Yes, Sept 8, 1926 by unanimous vote of the Geneva Conference

NEXT How far can a kangaroo jump?

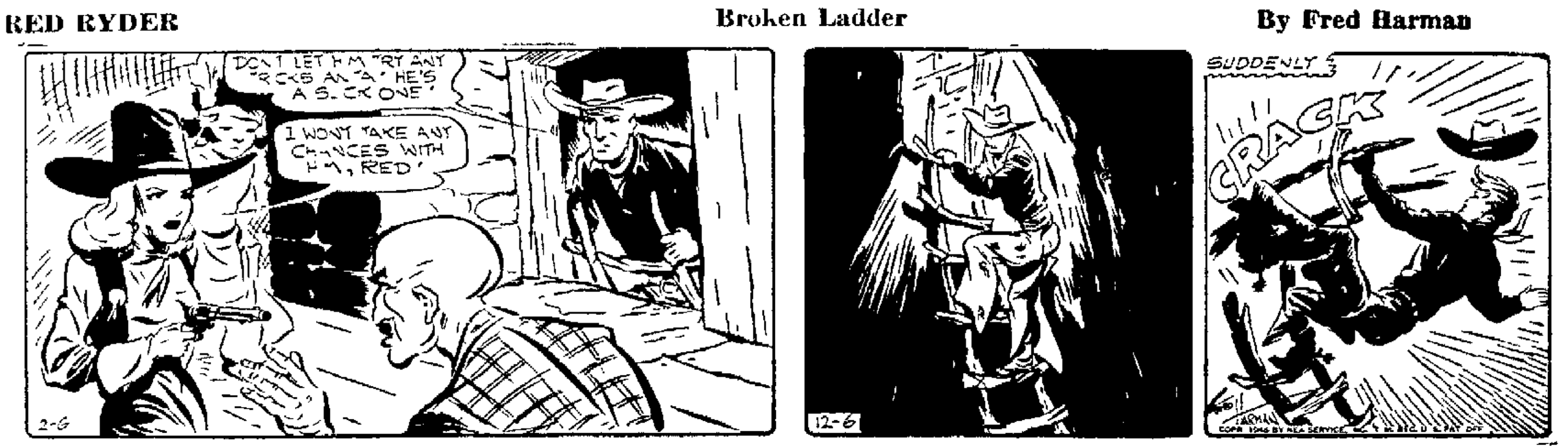
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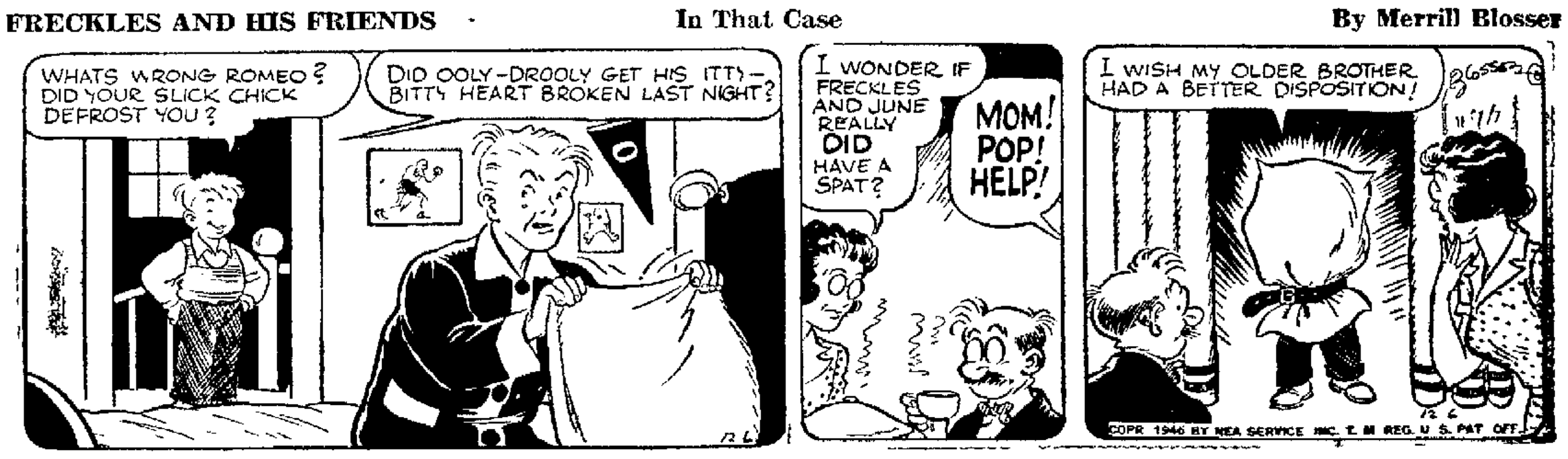
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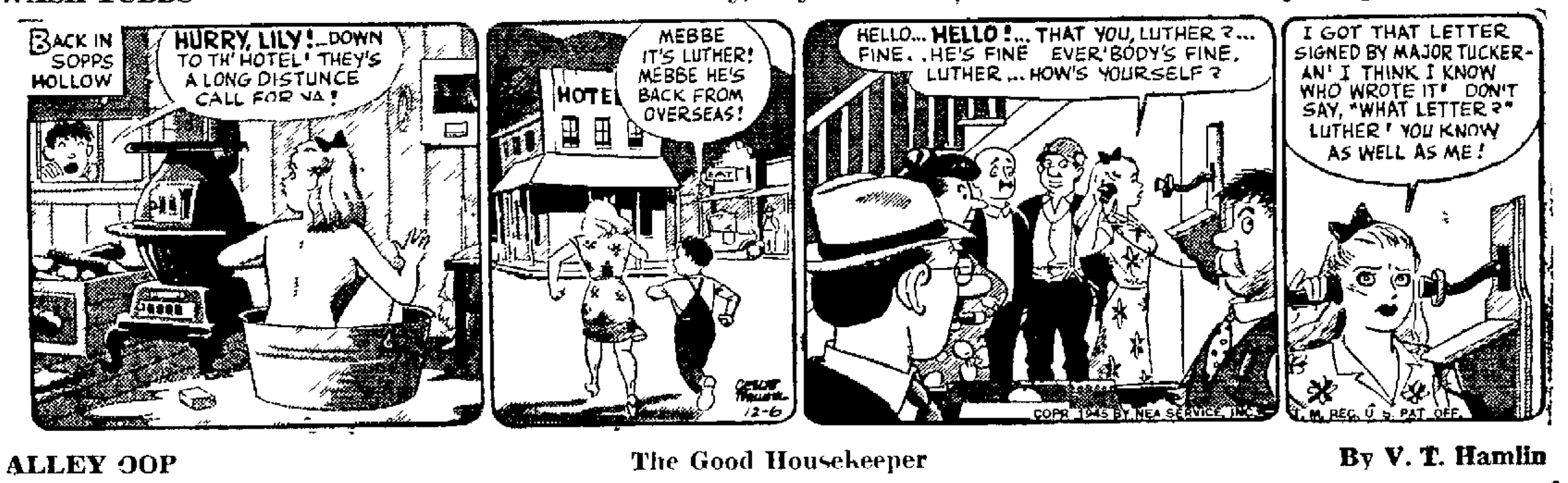
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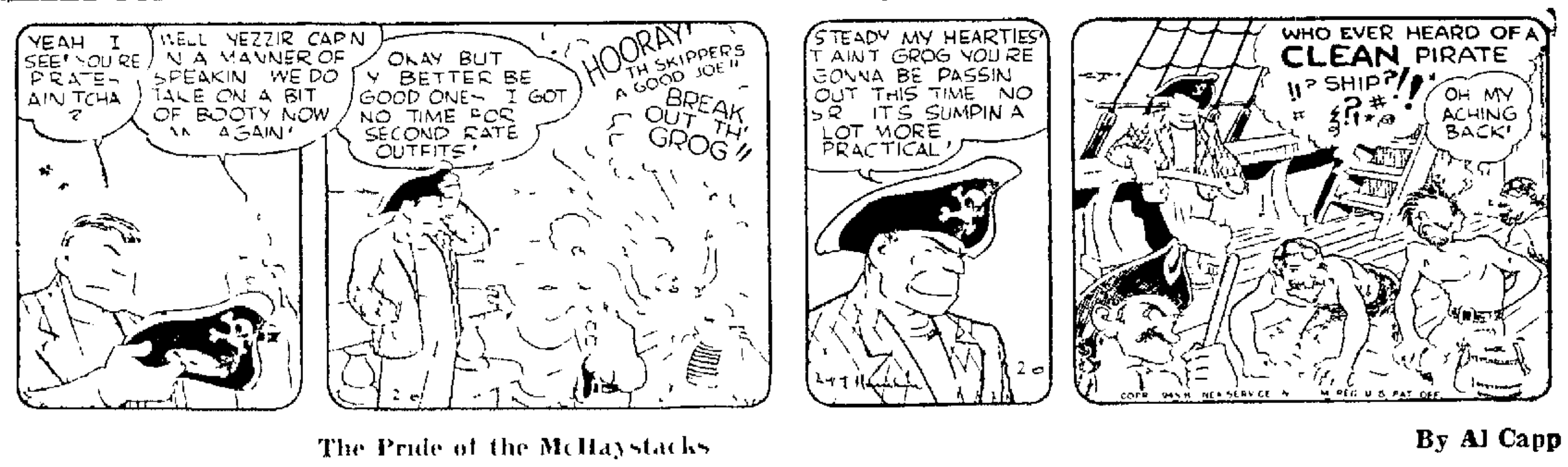
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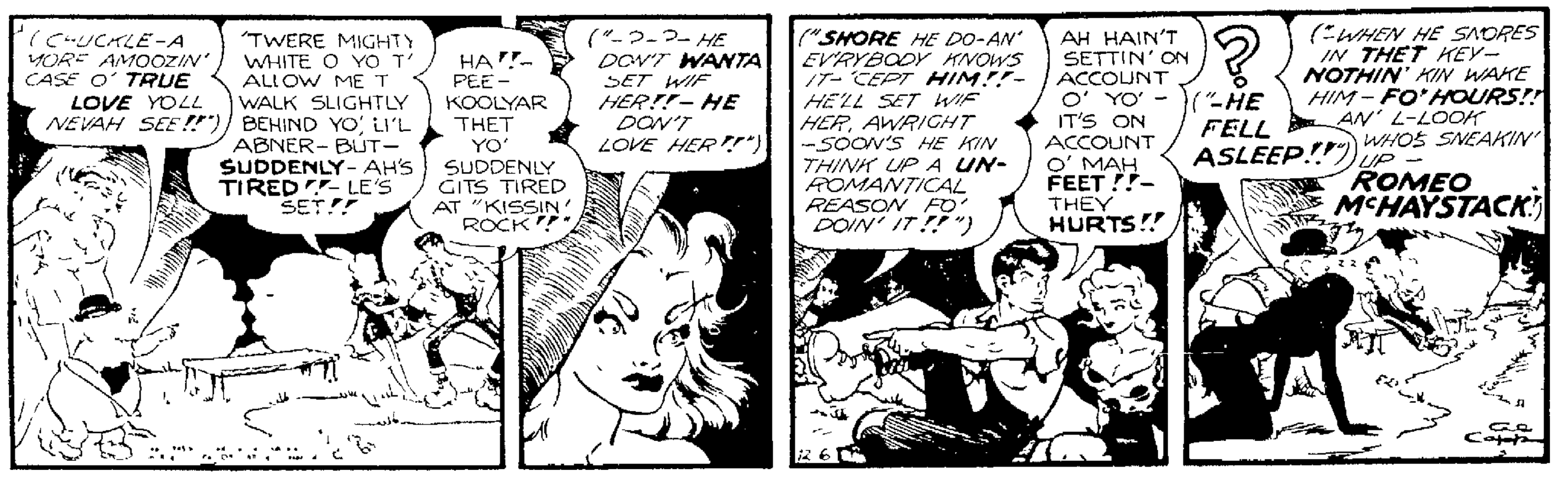
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Phone 186 or X1178
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LOCAL TRUCKING
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WAITRESSES and
KITCHEN HELP
for Skip's Dining Room.
Apply in person
at SKIP'S CAFE

Wanted: Young man for steady work. Apply at
DIXON AUTO PARTS CO.
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Hotel Dixon

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WANTED
3 or 4 days a week.
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Headquarters — Allis Chalmers Tractors, New Idea Farm Machinery.
DIXON ONE-STOP SERVICE
106 Peoria Ave. Tel. 212

FOR SALE: One 2-row corn picker No. 2-P. New in 1943. Electric mangle in good condition, Phone 38, Lee Center.

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ELECTRIC
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ECONOMY COAL
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Call Ashton, Ill. Tel. 216
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Phone R1127
Clarence Martin

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Size 2 3-4 H. P. 6 H. P. 9 H. P.
$73.50 $109.95 $143.95
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PHONE 1297

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A POSITION WITH A FUTURE

An old and well established Dixon retail store is looking for a man with experience in this field or one who is anxious to enter retailing.

Here is an opportunity for someone who is capable and willing to work.

The one selected will receive a good starting salary plus bonus each year and will be increased in proportion with ability to absorb principles of operation. Right individual will be pointed toward complete store management as owner desires to become inactive.

All replies confidential but must state age, experience, education, etc. Write to box 19, care paper.

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NEEDED
To Make Farm Machinery

53 to 58 hours per week, with overtime after 40 hours

Farmers and farm help not needed on the farm during the winter season can be used to mutual advantage in our plant

Returning veterans why not call at our office? We will do our best to place you.

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Phone Main 3381, Ext 153

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FOR HER—FOR HIM
A gift from our selection of compacts, manicure sets, dresser sets, colognes, perfumes, bath powders, fancy soaps, shaving sets, leather goods, men's toiletries...shop now!
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TREIN'S Jewelry Store .
Known for fine Diamonds and Better Gifts

For Her Christmas! Robes... pajamas....purses....blouses dresses...coats ...millinery or give a Gift Certificate
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Handsome boxes of creamy chocolates for a perfect Christmas present.
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Give Her a
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It means giving her a beautiful figure and better health.
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Dresser Sets. Handbags. Pearls....in wide price range.
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For Girls Seven to Fourteen, Judy Kent blouses; sweaters, skirts, plaids and solid colors; slacks; purses, "double talk" belts for sport wear
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VOGUE DRESS SHOPPE
208 First St. M Harkins

"Wire" your Christmas Gift Flowers from
COOK'S FLOWER SHOP
Plants and flowers for gifts and "greens" for home decoration

BLUEBIRD DIAMONDS
Give HER a Bluebird Diamond RING for CHRISTMAS the lasting gift in exquisite mounting of high quality workmanship. TREIN'S Jewelry Store .Known for Fine Diamonds and Better Gifts

A ROBE for "HIM" from our fine selection of Silks, Flannels and Cottons.
Priced $9.50-$25
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GIVE A PUPPY
FOR CHRISTMAS
Cockers, Collies, Shepherds.
ROCK RIVER KENNELS
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Order Your Christmas FLOWERS early this year! We telegraph Flowers anywhere! Tel. 107.
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FOR SALE: A choice lot of thick farmer type Hampshire spring boars, carrying the most popular blood lines of the breed, cholera immuned, guaranteed. Price $50 to $75 We deliver! George Hall, Franklin Grove, Ill., Ph. 77111.

One Black and one Swiss Cow, wt. approx, 1300 lbs. One fresh. Both very good milk cows. 50 Feeding Pigs, approx. 100 lbs. Bill Haley, 2 mi. S. E. of Amboy, Ill.

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LOST OR ESTRAYED: Pedigreed male German Shepherd black and tan. This dog belongs to boy in service. Reward, PHONE R406.

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Try a Castle hamburger deliciously fresh piping hot only 7c at
PRINCE CASTLE

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Blackhawk Trail, Ph. 884 or 360
Auto Financing and Insurance

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WANTED TO RENT:
Modern 6-rm. Home.
Tom West, Phone 1449.

WANTED TO RENT:
3 or 4 room
Furnished Apartment
by returned veteran, now employed in Telegraph news room.
PHONE 5
Classified Adv. Dept
Dixon Evening Telegraph

Wanted: 3 or 4 room modern furnished or unfurnished apartment Adults. Phone X582

FOR RENT: Sleeping room for 1 or 2 adults 208 Lincoln Ave Phone Y1261.

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HORSERADISH
There are four or more grades of roots We bottle only the top grade of new crop We cater to the trade who put quality ahead of price Some merchants do not display our product but display a cheaper grade Call for ours by name. ...
BOWSER'S GARDENS
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2 HOUSE TRAILERS, lots of new and used furniture.
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I WANT TO BUY!

FOR SALE: Woman's black cloth coat with pointed fox fur collar. Splendid condition, shows no wear Size 16. Call R1552

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Coal heating and cook stoves, city gas stoves; sewing machines big oil burner wash boilers and tubs; all kinds of other households.
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Excellent eating.
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SLOTHOWER HARDWARE
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For Sale.
HEATING STOVE
Between 6 and 8 p. m. call at
917 E. Chamberlin St.

LADIES buying gifts for Christmas look in at
BEE'S GIFT SHOP
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FOR SALE Electric train, including 7 cars and 1 streamlined cars. Excellent condition $30 Ph X16-1 122 S Ottawa Ave.

FOR SALE Walnut chifforobe with two full length mirrored doors hat compartment five small and one large drawer Pair men's Florsheim shoes size 9A Two pairs ice skates shoe size 2 and 6 Women's dark grey wool slacks size 28 Ph 8003Y

100 WHITE ROCK PULLETS 4½ months old $1.25 each
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Phone 278

SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

GOOD USED FURNITURE
for sale at
FIXIT SHOP and
2ND HAND STORE
113 W. Third St Ph 186

FOR SALE: Dinner set; electric lamps; pictures, card table; games, kitchenware; other articles Phone M1359.

FOR SALE: Young Friers and roasters, 4 to 5½ lbs. Dressed and delivered from the farm Saturday. PHONE Harmon 2212.

NEW PLUMBING—USED BATH TUBS, sink; lavatories, new lavatories with faucets and drain $17.95; new stools, with seat and lid, $20.95; 30-gal gal. range boiler; new brass mixing and faucets for built-in and regular sinks; hot water heater; gas heaters, used tires; gas plates, hose for a wrecker, round stoves. Ph 1606 Jack Plotkin, 1812 W. 4th St.

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Closing Out Sale, 2½ mi. S. Woosung, Tues., Dec. 11, 12:00 noon. 67 head livestock, machinery, grain, household goods. Sumner Reed, Owner. 3 mi. N., 1 mi. W Dixon.

AUCTION SALE
of TOOLS and
HOUSEHOLD GOODS
of the late Genevieve Stevens
330 West Chamberlin St.
SAT., DEC. 8, 1 p. m.
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Has electricity and furnace.
Priced to sell.
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6-RM. MODERN RESIDENCE, garage, $5,650.
3-RM. MODERN COTTAGE with large lot on north side. $3350. Immediate possession.
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Phone 664 or B627

FOR SALE:
115 ACRES, 3½ miles from Dixon. In high state of cultivation. All but 90 rods hog-tight fence. Buildings in very good condition, 7-rm. house, barn, crib garage, large chicken house, silo, electricity, running water. Priced right.

4-Rm. Modern House $1,500
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FOR SALE: 5 acre tract of land, house, chicken house, grocery and gas station, Garage. Inquire 511 Third Ave., after 4 o'clock.

FOR SALE 80 acre farm; good improvements, good location Possession March 1, 1946
120 acres, new improvements 100 acres farm land, 20 acres pasture; good location; good terms.
40 acres, 6-room house, furnace electricity
GUY DONALDSON, Polo Ill

MODERN 5-RM BRICK HOUSE Gas heat, automatic hot water heater; water softener; screened porch attached garage, Possession 30 days
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Clean Cotton Rags, all buttons and metal removed, 4c per pound. Apply press room.
DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

We pay highest cash prices for dead horses, cattle and hogs. Phone Polo 234. Reverse charges.
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$3 to $6.00 PAID FOR
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Dixon, Illinois

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In your attic, basement or pantry shelves are many pieces of old glass, china, old lamps of all kinds, dolls and doll heads, iron toys, music boxes, hanging lamps, old jewelry, glass paper weights, and dozens of other items for which I will pay top prices Turn unused items into cash Also want old furniture. Call 1291 MARIE STIMELING ANTIQUE SHOP, 418 Galena Ave., Dixon, Ill.

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We pay more for Dead Stock. Prompt and sanitary service. Phone 277 Dixon Rendering Works, and Reverse Charges, Serving this community for 40 years

Wanted to buy direct from owner: MODERN BUNGALOW; must be reasonable. State location and price Box 16 care paper.

ALL KINDS OF JUNK:
Phone 1606
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WANTED TO BUY: Pair boy's ice skates, size 6-7. Write Box 18, care paper.

WANTE DTO BUY: Good used washing machine. Also two wardrobes. Phone R157.

WANTED TO BUY: Air rifle and 4 string guitar in good condition. Phone Harmon 2212.

NOTICE

NOTICE! We have moved to our old address, 1107 Hinderson Ave. "You call, we haul." All loads insured. PHONE B1140.
CHUCK HAENITSCH

Congressman Wants Women Discharged

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 6 —(AP)— Legislation to abolish the WACS, WAVES, SPARS and Women Marines was introduced today by Rep. Rees (R-Kas).

His bill would provide for discharge of all service women except those directly engaged in work in Army and Navy hospitals at separation centers. Even those would be eliminated as soon as possible.

Praising the women of the armed forces for their services, Rees said in a statement that their job now is finished.

"The argument no longer prevails that the Women's Reserves of the armed forces are needed in order to relieve men for combat service," Rees said. "They ought not to be required to remain in the armed forces. Continuation of the Women's Reserve is a useless and unnecessary drain upon the public treasury."

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AS I SEE IT

By DEWITT MacKENZIE
AP World Traveler

London, Dec. 6 The great political, social and economic changes through which this heart of the British empire is passing are a source of constant wonder to the visitor who is returning after a considerable absence, as is the case of this columnist.

Indeed, the average Englishman himself has small realization of the real significance of this metamorphosis. He is too close to it—too much a part of it and on this basis the foreign visitor, who has known old England well, perhaps has the advantage of a better perspective.

Old traditions are being shattered like glass balls in a shooting gallery. Class distinctions are drawing closer together, and the old school tie has lost much of its magic as a passport to special privilege. The landed gentry is fast disappearing, and there has been such a mighty leveling off of incomes that the time is past when great fortunes can be accumulated.

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We got a vivid flash of all this in the fierce clash at arms which began yesterday in the House of Commons and is continuing today—a battle royal between the new Labor government and its Conservative opponents led by Churchill, son of a long line of nobility representing the bluest blood in England. It is the Tories' first real assault on the Socialists since the latter were elected to power six months ago.

This is no ordinary parliamentary debate. It is a maneuvering for position by two fundamentally different political creeds. This debate will settle nothing, but it emphasized that England's way of life is in the melting pot. The big question is now these two extremes with resolve their differences—whether it will be done by amicable reasoning or whether it may follow the lines so grimly predicted by Churchill a few days ago when he said:

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"I foresee with sorrow, but without fear, that in the next few years we shall come to fundamental quarrels in this country. It seems impossible to escape the fact that events are moving and will move towards the issue—the people versus the Socialists".

Yesterday's debate began quietly enough as Oliver Lyttelton, minister of production in the late Conservative cabinet, made a motion of censure against the government. It was an impressive scene, for the ancient chamber of the House of Lords (Commons has been using this since its own hall was bombed during the war) was crowded with the largest attendance since the general election. Every one of the red Morocco-covered benches was filled, and many members were standing.

Was it prophetic that this chamber of the noble lords should be jammed with Socialists who are bent on smashing tradition for the benefit of the working man? There they were amidst the symbol of past glories the tall mullioned windows, the wonderful old carved oak, and the towering golden background against which the thrones of the king-emperor and his queen stand when the lords are inoccupation.

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Lyttelton attacked vigorously. He charged that the government's program meant regimentation of the individual if the Socialist schemes were to succeed. He accused the party in power of creating inflation, of saying that all nationalization schemes are inflationary.

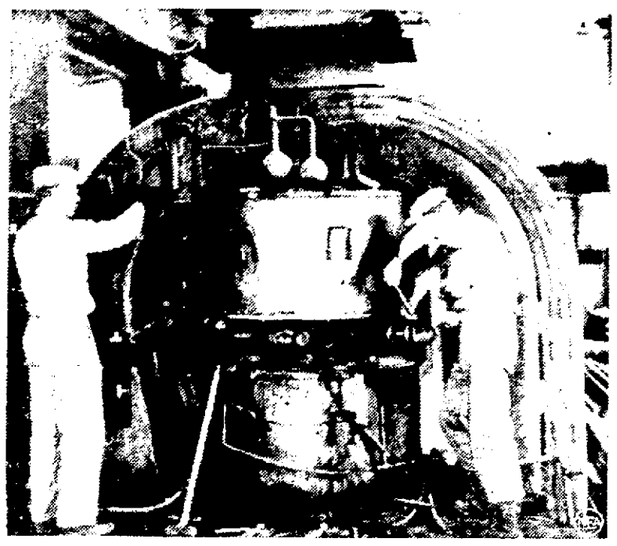
The Laborites met this first attack with easy self-assurance in their big majority of about 200. Lyttelton's bitterest shots were met with deep belly laughs as the members leaned back against the red Morocco. This complacence wasn't to last long, however, because a few were stung to anger as the result of a hot exchange between Churchill and Sir Stafford Cripps, president of the Board of Trade, who answered Lyttelton.

Today winds up this debate over the motion of censure—the climax of this drama, with Churchill and Herbert Morrison, the leader of the House of Commons, pitted against each other. They are two of the hardest hitters in Commons.

BOMBERS PAY OFF

Duebendorf, Switzerland—(AP)—American bombers forced down here during the war have served a post-war purpose of the International Red Cross. Approximately 91,000 persons paid a nominal admission price to see the bombers, the proceeds going to the Red Cross. Most of the bombers have been repaired and flown back. Material in others has been salvaged.

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Carrying out the occupation policy of destroying every Japanese means of making war, U. S. troops photographed here by Tom Shafer, Acme Newspictures-NEA Service photographer, dismantle small atomic equipment preparatory to smashing it. Equipment confiscated included five cyclotrons and related equipment in three cities.

Chicago to Get 500 Demountable Houses

Chicago, Dec. 6 (AP)—Stymied by a housing shortage, the Chicago city council is going to reach outside the city for 500 demountable homes for its war veterans.

The Chicago Housing Authority reported yesterday that frame cottages located on war industry sites at Seneca, Ill., and Kingsford Heights, Ind., will be dismantled next week and set up here by Jan. 1.

Funds needed to bring the houses here were appropriated by the council after their allocation to Chicago by the National Housing Agency and the Federal Public Housing Authority.

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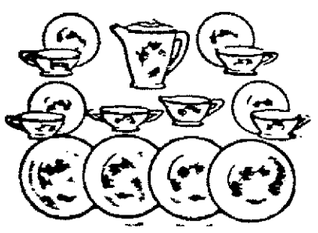


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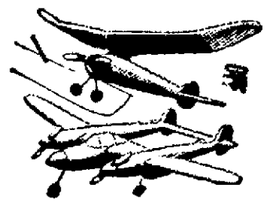
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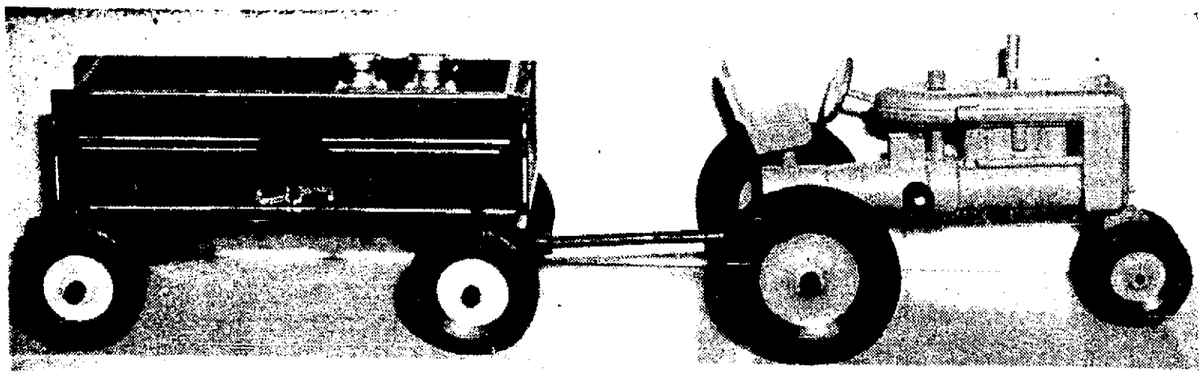


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